Yahoo Group Archive: alinco-dj-x3

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1. i dont like spam

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2003-12-17 00:08:26 UTC
From: chrisr@nventure.com
Topic: 1 Message: 1

thanks for starting a new group

2. Just swapped over to the new DJX3 group

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2003-12-24 10:20:28 UTC
From: Don McLean
Topic: 2 Message: 2

Have just unsubscribed to the old group due to the unsolicited emails etc. Looking forward to any new posts etc.

Seasons Greetings

Don McLean

3. Welcome & seasons greetings

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2003-12-24 12:00:27 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 2 Message: 3

Hi all,

I'd like to wish you all a kind welcome and happy holidays !

Markus

--Original Message Text---
From: Don McLean
Date: Wed, 24 Dec 2003 10:20:28 -0000

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Seasons Greetings

Don McLean

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Switzerland Homepage: www.markus.org

4. More Thanks

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2003-12-24 17:44:04 UTC
From: tonyfendall
Topic: 4 Message: 4

Markus,
Thanks; I have now left the old group.
Christmas Greetings to all group members.
Tony

5. Alinco Service Manual

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2003-12-24 18:17:11 UTC
From: drjitter2000
Topic: 5 Message: 5

hi there,

does anybody have a service manual for the DJ-X3 unit ?

can you upload it to the filebase please.

greetings,

jitter

6. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] More Thanks

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2003-12-26 12:41:40 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 4 Message: 6

Tony,

you are welcome. In the end the spam was getting too painful :-).

Markus

On Wed, 24 Dec 2003 17:44:04 -0000, tonyfendall wrote:

>Markus,
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>Tony

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7. Re: Alinco Service Manual

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2003-12-26 12:41:41 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 5 Message: 7

Yes, I'd like that too !

Markus

On Wed, 24 Dec 2003 18:17:11 -0000, drjitter2000 wrote:

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>does anybody have a service manual for the DJ-X3 unit ?

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>greetings,

>jitter

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8. Re: Alinco Service Manual

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2003-12-27 10:29:32 UTC
From: João
Topic: 5 Message: 8

Yes, I'd like that too !

Happy days to all.
Joao

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "drjitter2000" <Dr.Jitter@p...>
wrote:
> hi there,
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>
> does anybody have a service manual for the DJ-X3 unit ?
>
>
> can you upload it to the filebase please.
>
>
> greetings,
>
>
> jitter

9. Interface cable for DJ-X3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-01-02 13:38:22 UTC
From: Robin Emery
Topic: 9 Message: 9

Hi group,

Is there anyone here who could build me an interface cable to link to my PC for less than £15?

Brand new from my local ham radio shop it costs £39.99, but I am sure you can build one for less.

Thanking you all in advance.

Regards,
Robin Emery - M3NTB
QTH: Basildon, Essex UK
http://www.uk-dab.info/

10. Service Manual for Alinco DJ-X3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-01-02 15:52:52 UTC
From: drjitter2000
Topic: 10 Message: 10

Service Manual for the DJ-X3 Unit is available at :

http://www.alinco.co.uk/acatalog/alinco-service-manuals.html

for 20£ (UK Pounds).

Did someone buy this?

Can you please scan the pages and upload it to the file base ?

thanx,

jitter

11. New file uploaded to alinco-dj-x3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-01-17 18:13:17 UTC
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 11 Message: 11

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the alinco-dj-x3
group.

File : /AlincoDJX3_BatMod.zip
Uploaded by : jgagoii <jgago@...>
Description : Modification of battery connection on Alinco DJX3

You can access this file at the URL

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/files/AlincoDJX3_BatMod.zip

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit

http://help.yahoo.com/help/us/groups/files

Regards,

jgagoii <jgago@...>

12. Re: Interface cable for DJ-X3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-01-17 22:24:40 UTC
From: griffithsdave
Topic: 9 Message: 12

I got an interface cable from :

stephen.morgan@...

last year for £ 15 inc P&P

Hope this helps

13. Re: Interface cable for DJ-X3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-01-20 13:55:51 UTC
From: grahambush
Topic: 9 Message: 13

Hi All
just seen a suitable cable for sale on ebay.

see here

http://cgi.ebay.co.uk/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?
ViewItem&item=3072512901&category=296 cable

the link needs all the above text!

Graham

14. Re: Interface cable for DJ-X3 (d i y tutorial available?)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-01-21 17:09:09 UTC
From: P@
Topic: 9 Message: 14

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Robin Emery" <robin.emery@b...>
wrote:
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>
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to
> my PC for less than £15?
>
> Brand new from my local ham radio shop it costs £39.99, but I am
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> you can build one for less.
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> Thanking you all in advance.
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> Regards,
> Robin Emery - M3NTB
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Sometime ago I did a photo tutorial on pcb's and used the alinco
rs232 interface as an example I will look if I still have the pix
and post them in the files section if anyone is interested,its easy
enough to make and costs about six quid,less if you already have a
few electronic basics laying around.
P@

15. Radio Shack Pro-95 Computer Cable

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-01-25 19:52:29 UTC
From: mke65
Topic: 15 Message: 15

Just curious, will the cable which controls the Radio Shack scanner also control this radio. Thanks.

16. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Radio Shack Pro-95 Computer Cable

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-01-26 00:03:44 UTC
From: mike@cbtinc.net
Topic: 15 Message: 16

No - Radio Shack Pro-95 is mono and DJ-X3 is stereo.

-----Original Message-----

Just curious, will the cable which controls the Radio Shack scanner
also control this radio. Thanks.

17. Re: Radio Shack Pro-95 Computer Cable

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-01-26 01:17:18 UTC
From: mke65
Topic: 15 Message: 17

Would I be able to use an adapter with mono 1/8 female to stereo 1/8
male to make the cable work? Other than that looks like I am buying
the cable. Cable suggestions appreciated...

Keith
--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, <mike@c...> wrote:
> No - Radio Shack Pro-95 is mono and DJ-X3 is stereo.
>
> -----Original Message-----
>
> Just curious, will the cable which controls the Radio Shack
scanner
> also control this radio. Thanks.

18. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Radio Shack Pro-95 Computer Cable

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-01-26 01:42:20 UTC
From: mike@cbtinc.net
Topic: 15 Message: 18

No, that adapter combination does not work properly.

Alinco ERW-4

ICOM OPC-478

See Google search for plans on build your own too.

-----Original Message-----
Would I be able to use an adapter with mono 1/8 female to stereo 1/8
male to make the cable work? Other than that looks like I am buying
the cable. Cable suggestions appreciated...

19. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Radio Shack Pro-95 Computer Cable

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-01-26 07:40:38 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 15 Message: 19

I am using the cable from my Yaeso FT-50R also for the
Alinco. The cable has a special three-signal 3.5mm Jack
(a normal stereo jack has two signals).

Markus

On Sun, 25 Jan 2004 19:52:29 -0000, mke65 wrote:

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>also control this radio. Thanks.

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20. Make your own interface, picture tutorial(coming soon)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-01-26 08:23:50 UTC
From: P@
Topic: 20 Message: 20

I,ll repeat this here.

Sometime ago I did a photo tutorial on pcb's,and used the alinco rs232 interface as an example I will look if I still have the pix and post them in the files section if anyone is interested,its easy enough to make and costs about six quid,less if you already have a few electronic basics laying around

Ok Ive found the pix and will post them in the photos section later on
P@

21. Re: Radio Shack Pro-95 Computer Cable

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-01-27 16:50:58 UTC
From: mke65
Topic: 15 Message: 21

Thanks for all the replies. I will be getting the radio sometime soon (hopefully friday). Probably going to build my own and give it a whirl. I have a diagram from one of the websites with the schematics and board.

Keith

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Markus Baertschi" <markus@m...> wrote:
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22. DJ-x3 software. Help please

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-01-30 10:16:33 UTC
From: lynharrisnz
Topic: 22 Message: 22

I have tried to use the Icom cable to operate the Alinco software
with no success communicating from radio to PC.Can anyone who has
succeeded in
getting the software to operate with this lead please give me
instructions on how to set up the radio to communicate with the PC
eg :which buttons to push on startup.
and any software setup instructions if there any apart from the com
port.

Thank you
Lyn h

23. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] DJ-x3 software. Help please

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-01-31 05:48:16 UTC
From: mike@cbtinc.net
Topic: 22 Message: 23

The best way to use the clone utility with the DJ-X3 is to follow these instructions:

1) With your PC off and your DJ-X3 off connect the serial port of the PC to the DJ-X3 earphone jack with the appropriate cable. (most folks ignore the "PC off" part)

2) Turn on your PC.

3) Turn on your DJ-X3 in clone mode. Do this by holding the [BANK(1M/10M)] key down while turning on the power. Ensure that the DJ-X3 displays the message "cLonE".

4) Use the clone utility to read and write settings as much as is desired.

5) Turn off the DJ-X3.

6) Disconnect the cloning cable from the DJ-X3.

7) Turn on the DJ-X3. The settings changes are now in effect.

-----Original Message-----

I have tried to use the Icom cable to operate the Alinco software with no success communicating from radio to PC.

24. Re: DJ-x3 software. Help please

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-01-31 12:36:44 UTC
From: lynharrisnz
Topic: 22 Message: 24

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, <mike@c...> wrote:
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> instructions:
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>
> -----Original Message-----
>
> I have tried to use the Icom cable to operate the Alinco software
> with no success communicating from radio to PC.

Thank you for your instructions but still having problems:
When I try to read data from the receiver I get the message:'A communication error occurred 1 "
I then press OK and the next message says " cannot find dj-x3 "

The radio screen says " OK "

The cable works fine on my Icom R5.

I will keep playing.

Thanks again for your help.

25. Shortwave?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-02-03 06:35:43 UTC
From: dapa_3
Topic: 25 Message: 25

How well does the X3 receiver shortwave? I was hoping to get shortwave news broadcasts and the NIST time broadcasts in Albany, New York

Thanks

26. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Shortwave?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-02-03 11:11:36 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 25 Message: 26

On Tue, 03 Feb 2004 06:35:43 -0000, dapa_3 wrote:

>How well does the X3 receiver shortwave? I was hoping to get
>shortwave news broadcasts and the NIST time broadcasts in Albany,
>New York

>Thanks

Shortwave reception on the X3 is comparable to other shortwave
receivers. It can not match an expensive tabletop set, but is fine
for casual listening. The main problem is the lack of a decent
antenna (shortwave needs large antennas). Just using the whip
will not let you listen to weak stations. But is you substitute
the whip with a longish (10 feet) piece of wire reception is
not too bad.

Markus

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27. RE: Shortwave?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-02-03 12:45:34 UTC
From: robinemery@blueyonder.co.uk
Topic: 25 Message: 27
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Original message:

How well does the X3 receiver shortwave? I was hoping to get
shortwave news broadcasts and the NIST time broadcasts in Albany,
New York

Thanks

Robin's reply:

Excellent reception!!!

I use my Alinco DJ-X3e in the evening purposely for shortwave reception.
You don't need to have the rubber duck antenna attached neither, as it uses the in built am antenna to receive the transmissions. Though it pulls in more signals if you attach a better telescopic or external antenna. Just ensure that you have the Sbar setting turned on to listen to AM transmissions.

I personally use a 6 section telescopic SMA antenna (bought from a radio rally last year) and the signal holds for much longer.

My QTH is Basildon in Essex and I can receive a lot of transmissions in the evening, particularly between 6MHz and 15MHz. I tune into English programmes on 'The Voice of Russia' and 'Radio Bulgaria' around 10pm most nights.
Deutche Velle Radio is also strong for prelonged periods on 6.075MHz.

For improved sound quality I choose to listen through headphones with the volume set to 8 or 9.
This can also save on battery consumption!

Enjoy!
Robin Emery
Webmaster
http://www.uk-dab.info/
DAB Digital Radio News and Information for the UK

28. Re: Shortwave?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-02-04 05:57:53 UTC
From: dapa_3
Topic: 25 Message: 28

Thanks for all the help. I'll the suggestions a shot, need to find some strong shortwave broadcasts in the states. I have heard it is possible to get some BBC news that sent to Central America and Europe. What is a good general antenna for the X3 (I guess the this should be a seperate topic)? Right now I'm using a 9 piece whip with a BNC to SMA connector (I normally use this for trunk scanner).

Thanks again

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, <robinemery@b...> wrote:
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> New York
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> Thanks
>

>

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6.075MHz.
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> For improved sound quality I choose to listen through headphones
with the volume set to 8 or 9.
> This can also save on battery consumption!
>
> Enjoy!
> Robin Emery
> Webmaster
> http://www.uk-dab.info/
> DAB Digital Radio News and Information for the UK

29. Re: DJ-x3 software. Help please

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-02-04 23:17:38 UTC
From: rope_ladder
Topic: 22 Message: 29

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--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "lynharrisnz" <lynh@e...> wrote:
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> with no success communicating from radio to PC.Can anyone who has
> succeeded in
> getting the software to operate with this lead please give me
> instructions on how to set up the radio to communicate with the PC
> eg :which buttons to push on startup.
> and any software setup instructions if there any apart from the com
> port.
>
> Thank you
> Lyn h

This may be a strange question but what operating system does your PC
use (95/98), the software from Alinco will not work with XP/2000
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30. Re: DJ-x3 software. Help please

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-02-04 23:21:21 UTC
From: rope_ladder
Topic: 22 Message: 30

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--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "lynharrisnz" <lynh@e...> wrote:
> I have tried to use the Icom cable to operate the Alinco software
> with no success communicating from radio to PC.Can anyone who has
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> getting the software to operate with this lead please give me
> instructions on how to set up the radio to communicate with the PC
> eg :which buttons to push on startup.
> and any software setup instructions if there any apart from the com
> port.
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> Thank you
> Lyn h

Sorry if this is a duplicate message.
What operating system is on your PC (Win 95/98), the Alinco software
I am told will not work with XP / 2000.
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31. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-x3 software. Help please

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-02-04 23:54:40 UTC
From: mike@cbtinc.net
Topic: 22 Message: 31

The software works fine with Windows XP and Windows 2000. In fact it was developed on Windows 2000. However, we have discovered a small issue that sometimes leads to the software being unable to recognize the X3 being connected to the serial port. We are working on a fix for this due to some wonderful help that we have received from two users in the Scandinavian countries. We will post a notice when a fix is available.

Mike

-----Original Message-----

This may be a strange question but what operating system does your PC use (95/98), the software from Alinco will not work with XP/2000

32. Re: DJ-x3 software. Help please

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-02-07 00:57:09 UTC
From: lynharrisnz
Topic: 22 Message: 32

Thank you ,
I will keep watching ,is it possible to email me directly when the
fix is found?

lyn
--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, <mike@c...> wrote:
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> developed on Windows 2000. However, we have discovered a small
issue that
> sometimes leads to the software being unable to recognize the X3
being
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> Mike
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> use (95/98), the software from Alinco will not work with XP/2000

33. Re: DJ-x3 software. Help please

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-02-07 00:54:21 UTC
From: lynharrisnz
Topic: 22 Message: 33

I have tried both operating systems without success.

lyn

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "rope_ladder"
<rope_ladder@y...> wrote:
> --- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "lynharrisnz" <lynh@e...>
wrote:
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34. Alinco Software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-02-14 19:09:36 UTC
From: griffithsdave
Topic: 34 Message: 34

I too had a comms problem between the PC and the DJ-X3. I found that the serial port was already in use by the program I used for duplicating data from my phone. I killed the program in the program in the Task Manager (Prog was servic~1.exe), and then the port worked fine. Could be the same problem.

Best of luck.

35. comunication error codes

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-02-16 09:01:05 UTC
From: P@
Topic: 35 Message: 35

Ok so I know that "a comunication error occurred :1." = interface
not plugged in.

Does anyone know what "a comunication error occurred :7." is ?

Ive never had a number 7 before.

Thanks P@

36. Dissapointed Newbie

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-02-21 19:41:33 UTC
From: jerry_thm
Topic: 36 Message: 36

Dear Firends,
it's 6 hours since i bought this beauty.I'm a flightsimmer and
mainly i want to hear the airband.But i'm very dissapointed.I live
in the centre of Glasgow and i can't hear nothing more than am-fm.I
read the directions,i tried different configurations ,i tried all
the frequencies i'm interested in, but i can't hear even the ATIS
(129.575) which supposed to be a very strong signal.
Any ideas please?
Do i do something wrong?
Jerry

37. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Dissapointed Newbie

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-02-23 09:27:52 UTC
From: Jan van Dinteren
Topic: 36 Message: 37

Did you make sure you've set the modulation to AM?

The following comes from the manual:
Selecting the Modulation Mode
You can select a modulation mode from AM, FM, and WFM.
In Set mode, select "wAvE."
? Every click of the dial changes modulation mode as shown below:
AM . WFM . FM . AM...
? "A" appears on the display when selecting AM radio, and "W" appears when selecting TV. However, nothing appears when selecting FM radio.

Tip
When a setting of channel step is selected as AUTO or the frequency band is set
under 1620 kHz, modulation mode can not be changed.

GLASGOW COMMUNICATIONS - ATIS - 0600-0020Z++ 129.575 SHANWICK OCEANIC - 120.35
APP - (R) 119.1 TWR - 118.8 GND - Opr 0630-2030Z Mon-Fri; 0900-1900Z Sat, Sun
(0530-2320Z sum). 121.7
ILS/RADAR - ILS LOC-DME RADAR - Call RADAR - 119.1 119.3x 121.3x

Good Luck!

-----Oorspronkelijk bericht-----
Van: jerry_thm [mailto:jerry_thm@...]
Verzonden: zaterdag 21 februari 2004 20:42
Aan: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Onderwerp: [alinco-dj-x3] Dissapointed Newbie

Dear Firends,
it's 6 hours since i bought this beauty.I'm a flightsimmer and
mainly i want to hear the airband.But i'm very dissapointed.I live
in the centre of Glasgow and i can't hear nothing more than am-fm.I
read the directions,i tried different configurations ,i tried all
the frequencies i'm interested in, but i can't hear even the ATIS
(129.575) which supposed to be a very strong signal.
Any ideas please?
Do i do something wrong?
Jerry

Yahoo! Groups Links

To visit your group on the web, go to:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/

To unsubscribe from this group, send an email to:
alinco-dj-x3-unsubscribe@yahoogroups.com

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38. DJ-X3 Linux software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-02-29 22:10:23 UTC
From: ygzcougar
Topic: 38 Message: 38

Is there any Linux or other open source software available? I'm going to build a cable soon have to start hacking this protocol if anybody haven't done it before..

BTW, DJ-X3 signals are not TTL (0-5V) but between 0.25-2.5V. I ordered MAX3221 for that which can convert RS-232 to +3V..+5.5V level. I think that 3V should be fine.

--
Cougar

39. Re: DJ-X3 Linux software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-03-03 19:55:12 UTC
From: isktn
Topic: 38 Message: 39

Cougar,

After being unsatisfied by the functionality and performance of the original software I have talked to the software development team about this matter and I quote:

"We cannot provide memory specifications for the scanner as that information is considered proprietary. Such information may not be published either. I would also caution you that certain types of errors, in writing memory settings, can cause some very unacceptable receiver operation. Some of these situations cannot be cleared by hardware reset due to how memory initialization functions. Certain other aspects of the scanner memory are not readily apparent when reverse engineering. The free software license agreement also specifically prohibits the reverse engineering process."

So I decided to stop the development of my software at that point, even though the communications protocol was more or less mapped.

I would suggest using Wine to run the Alinco software under Linux. I have not tried this myself but I see no reason why it would not work. It's a common VB6 program like so many others.

I'm sure Alinco is interested in results on this approach and would welcome general bug reports, even though the web site quite arrogantly tell us not to ask any questions.

It's about time the development of their software follow evolution and if they can not do that I feel that making the software open source would be the natural step crossing the path of stubborness. But they will not do that if we don't help them understand it. Make your voice heard!

//Tony Nilsson

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "ygzcougar" <cougar@r...> wrote:
> Is there any Linux or other open source software available? I'm
going
> to build a cable soon have to start hacking this protocol if anybody
> haven't done it before..
>
> BTW, DJ-X3 signals are not TTL (0-5V) but between 0.25-2.5V. I
ordered
> MAX3221 for that which can convert RS-232 to +3V..+5.5V level. I
think
> that 3V should be fine.
>

> --
> Cougar

40. Re: DJ-X3 Linux software (Att: Mike!)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-03-03 21:27:08 UTC
From: isktn
Topic: 38 Message: 40

>
> It's about time the development of their software follow evolution
> and if they can not do that I feel that making the software open
> source would be the natural step crossing the path of stubborness.
> But they will not do that if we don't help them understand it.
> Make your voice heard!
>
> //Tony Nilsson

And Mike!
Don't take it personally. You're doing a great job.
But you already know I'm a fan of open source software :)
If you ever come to Sweden I'll buy you a beer ;)

41. Re: Dissapointed Newbie

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-03-03 21:49:53 UTC
From: isktn
Topic: 36 Message: 41

Jerry,

As previously mentioned, I beleive that your receiver is not set to
AM mode.
Set frequency step to a manual setting and then use the wAvE mot do
light up the "A" indicator.

I use the receiver for airband almost all the time, and I am very
satisfied with the results. The reception is clearer than my other
receivers including the Uniden Bearcat 220XLT.

Even ACARS digital transmissions decode very well with a decent
antenna. I also use a 20dB TV-antenna amplifier to increase my range
of the home made vertical dipole antenna.

With this combination I use the lovely built-in attenuator to keep
the interference down from strong FM transmitters. This attenuator
seem to let through the tuned frequency quite well even though it
should, with the amplifier I mentioned, even out to 0dB by
specifications.

I cover 400km radius of ACC with this combination, between FL400 down
to FL100.
About half that radius at TMA.

/Tony

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "jerry_thm" <jerry_thm@y...>
wrote:
> Dear Firends,
> it's 6 hours since i bought this beauty.I'm a flightsimmer and
> mainly i want to hear the airband.But i'm very dissapointed.I live
> in the centre of Glasgow and i can't hear nothing more than am-fm.I
> read the directions,i tried different configurations ,i tried all
> the frequencies i'm interested in, but i can't hear even the ATIS
> (129.575) which supposed to be a very strong signal.
> Any ideas please?
> Do i do something wrong?
> Jerry

42. How to make the interface

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-03-06 06:20:28 UTC
From: P@
Topic: 42 Message: 42

Ive put a new photo album in the photos section
it contains a photo tutorial on how to make the
interface,I did this for a guy last year to
show him how to make pcb`s and luckyly used
the interface circuit as the demonstration,
so here it is in case its any use to anyone else.
P@

43. An easy make-your-own ERW4 interface

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-03-12 16:39:43 UTC
From: Brian Gilbert
Topic: 43 Message: 43

http://www.qsl.net/n4rpd/erw4.html Thanks goes to Rob DeVega-N4RPD for his diagram. The above address takes you to his schematic using 3 transistors, two diodes and 5 resistors. I have built it and it works great! As with the stock ERW4, this interface is compatable with any receiver or tranceiver using 3 volt logic.

44. Re: An easy make-your-own ERW4 interface

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-03-13 06:34:04 UTC
From: P@
Topic: 43 Message: 44

Have you used it with DJ-X3? As I thought this interface
only worked with the DX-70 & DX-77, I must give it a go
as It looks a lot less hassle than the max 232 chip
or a pic.
P@

45. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: An easy make-your-own ERW4 interface

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-03-16 15:45:49 UTC
From: DO1ZZ@F-Altenburg.de
Topic: 43 Message: 45

I have a professionally made cable that works on DXJ3 and IC -T90 (ice90)

so the interface is definitely compatible on the side of the transceiver...
----- Original Message -----
From: P@
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Saturday, March 13, 2004 7:34 AM
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: An easy make-your-own ERW4 interface

Have you used it with DJ-X3? As I thought this interface
only worked with the DX-70 & DX-77, I must give it a go
as It looks a lot less hassle than the max 232 chip
or a pic.
P@

Yahoo! Groups Links

a.. To visit your group on the web, go to:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/

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alinco-dj-x3-unsubscribe@yahoogroups.com

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46. Re: An easy make-your-own ERW4 interface

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-03-18 07:06:55 UTC
From: Brian Gilbert
Topic: 43 Message: 46

The interface is said to be compatable with any radio using 3.5volt logic and a 3.5mm/2.5mm stereo-connect (tip-audio; ring-data; sleve-ground). Any Alinco radio that requires an erw-4, is compatable...it also works on the Trident TRX-100xlt

47. Re: Dissapointed Newbie

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-03-23 07:27:15 UTC
From: jerry_thm
Topic: 36 Message: 47

Tony,
i managed to capture some frequencies.I bought a new internal antenna, the easiest thing is to receive the approach.I would like to ask you how can i increase my signal level.I have an internal tv antenna with an amplifier but the output is RF.Do u think that i can connect the RF to my dj-x3 antenna?Will i have better results?I know that i'm a newbie and you may find these questions stupid (which means that i could ask privately),but i publish them in this forum for the next newbies.
Thank's again,
With respect,
Jerry

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "isktn" <epideme@t...> wrote:
> Jerry,
>
> As previously mentioned, I beleive that your receiver is not set to
> AM mode.
> Set frequency step to a manual setting and then use the wAvE mot do
> light up the "A" indicator.
>
> I use the receiver for airband almost all the time, and I am very
> satisfied with the results. The reception is clearer than my other
> receivers including the Uniden Bearcat 220XLT.
>
> Even ACARS digital transmissions decode very well with a decent
> antenna. I also use a 20dB TV-antenna amplifier to increase my range
> of the home made vertical dipole antenna.
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> With this combination I use the lovely built-in attenuator to keep
> the interference down from strong FM transmitters. This attenuator
> seem to let through the tuned frequency quite well even though it
> should, with the amplifier I mentioned, even out to 0dB by
> specifications.
>
> I cover 400km radius of ACC with this combination, between FL400 down
> to FL100.
> About half that radius at TMA.
>
> /Tony
>

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> wrote:
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> > it's 6 hours since i bought this beauty.I'm a flightsimmer and
> > mainly i want to hear the airband.But i'm very dissapointed.I
live
> > in the centre of Glasgow and i can't hear nothing more than am-
fm.I
> > read the directions,i tried different configurations ,i tried
all
> > the frequencies i'm interested in, but i can't hear even the
ATIS
> > (129.575) which supposed to be a very strong signal.
> > Any ideas please?
> > Do i do something wrong?
> > Jerry

48. Re: How to make the interface

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-03-30 10:18:55 UTC
From: P@
Topic: 42 Message: 48

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--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "P@" <UGGUMPH@Y...> wrote:
> Ive put a new photo album in the photos section
> it contains a photo tutorial on how to make the
> interface,I did this for a guy last year to
> show him how to make pcb`s and luckyly used
> the interface circuit as the demonstration,
> so here it is in case its any use to anyone else.
> P@
========================================================================
========================================================================
Ive also zipped them up and posted them in the files section
labeled :- diy interface toot.zip .So you can grab them all at once.
p@
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49. Need help : strange jump in FM mode.

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-05-06 09:22:02 UTC
From: miciobigio2000
Topic: 49 Message: 49

Hello i'm new to this scanner , the problem is :

- in VFO mode and STEP = Auto the DJ-X3 jumps this way :

95.6 - 95.7 - 95.75 - 101.75 - 107.75 - 108

i can't tune between 95.75 and 101.75 and between 101.75 and 107.75 !

i tried a reset but the problem is still there.

If i use the preset mode and select "FM radio" i have no problem i
can tune OK but in VFO mode i can't.

Thanks and excuse me for my poor english.

Marco.

50. Re: Need help : strange jump in FM mode.

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-05-06 11:28:29 UTC
From: Robin Emery
Topic: 49 Message: 50

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "miciobigio2000"
<marcovalenzi@h...> wrote:
> Hello i'm new to this scanner , the problem is :
>
> - in VFO mode and STEP = Auto the DJ-X3 jumps this way :
>
> 95.6 - 95.7 - 95.75 - 101.75 - 107.75 - 108
>
> i can't tune between 95.75 and 101.75 and between 101.75 and
107.75 !
>
> i tried a reset but the problem is still there.
>
> If i use the preset mode and select "FM radio" i have no problem i
> can tune OK but in VFO mode i can't.
>
> Thanks and excuse me for my poor english.
>
> Marco.

Hi Marco,

I know what's causing this to happen.

You have "Auto" set in the step sequence when scanning.
To change this, in FM mode, press the top button on the left and
then the bottom button. This then displays either "auto" or another
such word. Using the dial at the top of the scanner move left or
right to select the correct step or 0.5 or 1.0. This then will
hopefully cure your problem.

I do not have my Alinco DJ-X3e to hand to check this properly, but I
do know that you can change the step level in this way.

Hope that helps!

Regards,
Robin Emery
Webmaster
http://www.uk-dab.info/
DAB Digital Radio News and Information for the UK

51. Tuning below 100Khz

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-05-07 02:48:27 UTC
From: dapa_3
Topic: 51 Message: 51

I posted this to the other X3 group so here goes. Is there anyway
to get the X3 to tune below 100Khz?

Thanks
Art

53. Re: Tuning below 100Khz

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-05-07 07:02:10 UTC
From: P@
Topic: 51 Message: 53

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "dapa_3" <dapa_3@y...> wrote:
> I posted this to the other X3 group so here goes. Is there anyway
> to get the X3 to tune below 100Khz?
>
> Thanks
> Art

Art-I dont think so,but if you find out differently please post the
details here.
P@

54. Re: Tuning below 100Khz

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-05-07 08:41:05 UTC
From: dapa_3
Topic: 51 Message: 54

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "P@" <UGGUMPH@Y...> wrote:
> --- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "dapa_3" <dapa_3@y...> wrote:
> > I posted this to the other X3 group so here goes. Is there
anyway
> > to get the X3 to tune below 100Khz?
> >
> > Thanks
> > Art
>
> Art-I dont think so,but if you find out differently please post
the
> details here.
> P@

I tried using the Clone utility, but it checks for out of bound
frequencies

Art

56. Clone software reads but doesn't write

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-06-03 16:46:45 UTC
From: ajftgov
Topic: 56 Message: 56

The Alinco software and my DJ-X3 seem to be out of sorts. I can read the data from the radio without problem. But when I try to write more than the settings one page it fails and crashes the software. It seems to fail at the same point in memory each time. I altered the port speed to see if that would help but no luck.

Using WinXP, Kenwood interface cable and DJ-X3 from Japan, but not to my knowledge the "S" version. The label doesn't indicate S, is there a function to display the actual version of the radio?

Thanks.

60. Mmm I feel I must complain.

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-06-29 07:50:35 UTC
From: P@
Topic: 60 Message: 60

I cant help but notice that the last few posts are spam
if I wanted spam Id go to the supermarket not a scanner forum.
Well thats my tuppence worth.
Pat

61. PC interface

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-07-02 12:09:04 UTC
From: Jon
Topic: 61 Message: 61

Hi all

Im a new user still finding out what the djx3 can do, I'm still reading the manual all the time which takes ages to do anything, so I down loaded the software to hopefully speed up programming the channels.

Has any one thought of making a lead up using a USB connection, I'm making my serial connector now and had a thought how useful it would be to just plug in a USB connector instead of having to scramble round the back of my tower to plug the cable in - or is the software not set up for it.

62. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Mmm I feel I must complain.

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-07-06 10:01:25 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 60 Message: 62

P@ wrote:

>I cant help but notice that the last few posts are spam
>if I wanted spam Id go to the supermarket not a scanner forum.
> Well thats my tuppence worth.
> Pat
>
>
I was away on vacation and had no internet access for a while. The offending
messages are now deleted and the authors banned. Unfortunately I can not
promise that this will not happen again.

Markus

--
Markus Baertschi Phone: ++41 (21) 807 1677
Bas du Ross? 14b Fax : ++41 (21) 807 1678
CH-1163, Etoy Email: markus@...
Switzerland Homepage: www.markus.org

63. Re: Mmm I feel I must complain.

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-07-07 06:30:57 UTC
From: P@
Topic: 60 Message: 63

Thanks Markus,nice to see you are still on the ball :)

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Markus Baertschi <markus@m...>
wrote:
> P@ wrote:
>
> >I cant help but notice that the last few posts are spam
> >if I wanted spam Id go to the supermarket not a scanner forum.
> > Well thats my tuppence worth.
> > Pat
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> CH-1163, Etoy Email: markus@m...
> Switzerland Homepage: www.markus.org

64. Re: PC interface

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-07-08 08:06:35 UTC
From: P@
Topic: 61 Message: 64

hi Jon
yes thats right the softwares not set up for it.but I did read
on one of the boards that somones trying to code a USB programer and
a GUI to match with changeable skins,I tryed to get a beta copy to
try but he wouldnt go for it,said it wasnt ready for testing,but Ive
lost touch with him so dont know if it got finnished,or if he was
bullsitting me.
P@

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Jon" <jonger67@h...> wrote:
> Hi all
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>> Has any one thought of making a lead up using a USB connection,
I'm
> making my serial connector now and had a thought how useful it
would
> be to just plug in a USB connector instead of having to scramble
> round the back of my tower to plug the cable in - or is the
software
> not set up for it.

65. Off topic - software project

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-07-08 08:13:19 UTC
From: Patcarty2@aol.com
Topic: 65 Message: 65

Are there any of you guys/gals into a little venture (no cash in involved on your part) writing a programme to decode maritime AIS - it's a similar thing to aviation ACARS.
It would be for maritime enthusiasts and I feel in great demand.
Please email me off line and I will let you know my thoughts.

Pat Carty
Exercise and Flypast web site at:
www.hometown.aol.com/cartypat

66. DJ-X3 cloning software and USB?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-07-12 17:22:50 UTC
From: simingx
Topic: 66 Message: 66

Hi, I built the RS232 cloning cable for the DJ-X3 and have tested that it works on my desktop computer, unfortunately my laptop computer doesn't have a serial port, so I bought a USB->RS232 adaptor.

However, when I try to read anything from the radio, the program will just quit after I press OK at the "Press OK to continue" prompt. The radio displays an "oK" on the screen.

Running HyperTerminal and pressing the Vol/Squelch key give me "AL~F0000W66002F000F010800
COM ERROR" so I know the PC->radio comms is working...

Any ideas/suggestions?

67. Re: DJ-X3 cloning software and USB?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-07-13 07:44:05 UTC
From: P@
Topic: 66 Message: 67

I think it will probably be software if your interface checks out ok,
I know the interface works ok as Ive built about four of them,all
worked ok straight away,sorry I cant be any more help.
P@

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "simingx" <simingx@y...> wrote:
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> that it works on my desktop computer, unfortunately my laptop
> computer doesn't have a serial port, so I bought a USB->RS232
> adaptor.
>
> However, when I try to read anything from the radio, the program
> will just quit after I press OK at the "Press OK to continue"
> prompt. The radio displays an "oK" on the screen.
>
> Running HyperTerminal and pressing the Vol/Squelch key give me
> "AL~F0000W66002F000F010800
> COM ERROR" so I know the PC->radio comms is working...
>
> Any ideas/suggestions?

68. Error message

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-07-17 10:10:44 UTC
From: Jon
Topic: 68 Message: 68

I can't get the software to run on my PC, I am using windows ME and every time I try and start the programme I get the error message "Dj-x3cln has caused an error in MSVBVM60.DLL" and the programme will not run it just exits at that point.

I have uninstalled and reinstalled the programme and done a reinstallation of ME but I still get the same message every time I try to run it.

Any one else experienced this and any tips on what to do to get round it ?

69. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Error message

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-07-17 12:22:24 UTC
From: mike@cbtinc.net
Topic: 68 Message: 69

This is probably caused by a video driver settings utility. Try and disable
the utility software that gives easy access to the video settings.

-----Original Message-----
From: Jon [mailto:jonger67@...]
Sent: Saturday, July 17, 2004 5:11 AM
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Error message

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every time I try and start the programme I get the error message
"Dj-x3cln has caused an error in MSVBVM60.DLL" and the programme will
not run it just exits at that point.

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reinstallation of ME but I still get the same message every time I try
to run it.

Any one else experienced this and any tips on what to do to get round it ?

70. programming cable

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-07-17 14:51:40 UTC
From: bt
Topic: 68 Message: 70

in search of:

a used data cable for sale.
I'd be happy with a used one too!

71. Re: Error message

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-07-17 21:53:47 UTC
From: Jon
Topic: 68 Message: 71

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, <mike@c...> wrote:
> This is probably caused by a video driver settings utility. Try and
disable
> the utility software that gives easy access to the video settings.

Just done that and now its working perfectly - Thanks

72. newbie question aerials

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-07-21 16:50:46 UTC
From: superfluous_id
Topic: 72 Message: 72

Hi, I would be interested to hear what kind of aerials people are using with their dj-x3 (apart from the standard one), I'm currently looking into buying an indoor model (or possibly a telescopic to replace the standard) and any hints would be greatly appreciated, as i'm new to the whole scanning scene i'm not really setled on any one frequency range as yet, so would ideally be looking for something to increase reception across as wide a range as possible, an outdoor aereial isn't an option at the moment but i'd welcome any hints or tips members may have.
Regards
J.C

73. Re: newbie question aerials

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-07-21 18:30:55 UTC
From: P@
Topic: 72 Message: 73

Hi J.C
Have you checked out the homemade one that I got scanned its in
the files section it works well indoors as I have one in my loft.
Ive got a muliscan on the roof and a super gainer hand held as a
portable ant,all are a vast improvment over the one supplied.

muliscan---maplins number QT29G £24.99

super gainer hand held----maplins number N29AC £19.99

Pat

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> using with their dj-x3 (apart from the standard one), I'm currently
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> tips members may have.
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> J.C

74. Re: DJ-x3 software. Help please

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-07-23 08:06:13 UTC
From: Jon
Topic: 22 Message: 74

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, <mike@c...> wrote:
> However, we have discovered a small issue that
> sometimes leads to the software being unable to recognize the X3
being
> connected to the serial port. We are working on a fix for this due
to some
> wonderful help that we have received from two users in the
Scandinavian
> countries. We will post a notice when a fix is available.
>
> Mike
>

Mike

Any News on the fix, as I now find I am having exactly the same problem with my PC not being able to find the djx3 but the djx3 displays "comErr" then "oK" when put into master mode.

75. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-x3 software. Help please

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-07-23 10:44:33 UTC
From: mike@cbtinc.net
Topic: 22 Message: 75

This problem is appearing more elusive than we had expected. We are still working on it but the answer is not in sight yet.

76. Re: DJ-x3 software. Help please

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-07-23 11:56:19 UTC
From: Jon
Topic: 22 Message: 76

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, <mike@c...> wrote:
> This problem is appearing more elusive than we had expected. We
are still
> working on it but the answer is not in sight yet.

Mike thanks for the update, I have a number of ther options to try in the meantime, though one means having to remove Linux from an old laptop and reinstalling windows 98 - something I thought I had got away from!

77. Re: DJ-x3 software. Help please

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-07-30 07:50:44 UTC
From: Jon
Topic: 22 Message: 77

> --- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, <mike@c...> wrote:
> > This problem is appearing more elusive than we had expected. We
> are still
> > working on it but the answer is not in sight yet.
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Mike

I have now tried it on three different PC's running Windows ME, 2000 and 98se. None of them will recognise the DJX3 yet the DJX3 seems to see the PC's because it shows oK after sending.

I'm beginning to suspect the cable may have something to do with it so I am going to try a slightly different setup - would it work with a parallel connection as one of the circuit diagrams shows a 20 pin connector rather than the 9 pin serial connection ?

Jon

78. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-x3 software. Help please

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-07-30 13:48:44 UTC
From: WX STATION
Topic: 22 Message: 78

JON,
ARE YOU USING THE 'DJ-X3E"? I BELIEVE THAT THERE ARE RESTRICTIONS IN THE SOFTWARE FOR CERTAIN MODELS. THE SOFTWARE MAY NOT WORK ON US MODELS . I RECALL READING THIS AWHILE BACK BUT FORGOT WHAT IT WAS ALL ABOUT.
TRY THE ALINCO WEB SITE FOR INFO.

GOOD LUCK,

WES
----- Original Message -----
From: Jon
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Sent: 30 July, 2004 03:50
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-x3 software. Help please

> --- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, <mike@c...> wrote:
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79. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-x3 software. Help please

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-07-30 21:33:33 UTC
From: mike@cbtinc.net
Topic: 22 Message: 79

Personally I am using an ICOM OPC-478 cable and that seems to work the best regardless of regional model variations of the receiver.

80. Re: DJ-x3 software. Help please

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-08-03 11:43:04 UTC
From: Jon
Topic: 22 Message: 80

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "WX STATION" <WX2@S...> wrote:
> JON,
> ARE YOU USING THE 'DJ-X3E"? I BELIEVE THAT THERE ARE RESTRICTIONS
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Wes

I am using an "E" but that model (the European version) seems to be
one of the unrestricted ones according to the Alinco site, the
restricted ones are the "S" and "T" American and Japanese versions so
it should not be the model causing the problem.
I still think its the interface causing the problem as the ICOM OPC-
478 that people say work well has a different circuit to the ERW4c so
I'm going to try one of those instead.

Jon

81. Re: DJ-x3 software. Help please

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-08-04 08:04:36 UTC
From: Jon
Topic: 22 Message: 81

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, <mike@c...> wrote:
> Personally I am using an ICOM OPC-478 cable and that seems to work
the best
> regardless of regional model variations of the receiver.

Mike

A number of people seem to use that cable successfully, I had a look
at the circuit diagrams for both and noticed that they are wired
slightly differently, the ERW4c is wired to pins 2,3,4(linked to 6),5
and then 7&8 are linked together. The OPC-478 is wired to pins 2,3,5&7
(linked to 8).
I wondered if the difference in wiring pins 7(request to send)& 8
(clear to send) might have something to do with the lack of
recognition by the PC of the DJX3. Pins 4(data terminal ready) and 6
(data set ready)don't seem to make any difference.

Jon

82. new group check it out

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-08-12 19:30:43 UTC
From: mike
Topic: 82 Message: 82

heck my group out radio_scan@...

83. new group check it out

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-08-12 19:30:37 UTC
From: mike
Topic: 82 Message: 83

heck my group out radio_scan@...

84. Tetra????????

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-08-30 20:06:29 UTC
From: jerry_thm
Topic: 84 Message: 84

Good day my friends,
I returned to my country for small holidays after 5 months in UK and I realised that there are no frequencies.Everything went to TETRA.The only frequencies I can hear are the taxi and the aircrafts.Is there any chance to receive tetra with our receiver?If not ,where can I find a tetra receiver and for how much.
Regards,
Jerry

85. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Tetra????????

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-08-31 08:09:10 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 84 Message: 85

No, I'm afraid not. Tetra is digital and uses trunking, both features
are missing
in the DJ-X3. At the moment I don't know about any scanner who can listen to
tetra style communications. There are some digital trunking scanners in
the US
but I don't think they will work with tetra.

Markus

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86. FOR SALE - DJ-X3 Programming Cables - £17.95

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-09-01 16:45:54 UTC
From: istirzak
Topic: 86 Message: 86

Hello forum,

I have PC Interface cables for the DJ-X3 available at £17.95.

Everyone of these cables is fully tested (by me) on both ICOM R2/R5
and Alinco radios. I have sold approx. 150 of these
Alinco/ICOM/Yaesu/Ten-Tec cables to date with 100% feedback :))

Should anyone require one, please email me: iain@...

Regards,
Iain
www.m3vpe.co.uk

87. Re: FOR SALE - DJ-X3 Programming Cables - £17.95

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-09-03 10:59:20 UTC
From: P@
Topic: 86 Message: 87

Hello Iain
good idea,I my make a few up myself,damn good profit margin
that :) What are you getting about 14 quid clear per unit? mmm very
good idea ;)
P@

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>
> Regards,
> Iain
> www.m3vpe.co.uk

88. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: FOR SALE - DJ-X3 Programming Ca bles - £17.95

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-09-03 11:08:29 UTC
From: Tony Fendall
Topic: 86 Message: 88

Come on now; I think you are missing something here.
The Alinco cables are ?40.
I have just ordered from Iain and am pleased with my saving.
Tony

-----Original Message-----
From: P@ [mailto:UGGUMPH@...]
Sent: 03 September 2004 11:59
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: FOR SALE - DJ-X3 Programming Cables - ?17.95

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89. Dreaded comErr

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-09-04 09:34:19 UTC
From: tonyfendall
Topic: 89 Message: 89

Can anyone help please?
Running Alinco software on XPpro PC COM2.
Software runs OK but just get comErr all the time.
Am I using the right software; is there a special app I should be
using?
Regards
Tony

90. Re: Dreaded comErr

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-09-06 05:52:24 UTC
From: P@
Topic: 89 Message: 90

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "tonyfendall" <tony@s...> wrote:
> Can anyone help please?
> Running Alinco software on XPpro PC COM2.
> Software runs OK but just get comErr all the time.
> Am I using the right software; is there a special app I should be
> using?
> Regards
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Wich programming cable are you useing some work ok,some dont,I dont know wich is wich,but I do know that the interface on the files page works every time(the one with the max232 ic)it also only costs about £4.50 to build,less if you e-mail maxx for some free samples.
P@

91. Alinco Clone Software and XP

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-09-06 21:12:03 UTC
From: Tony
Topic: 91 Message: 91

Hi All,
Just for my interest, has anyone ever been able to use Alinco Clone Software using serial port and Win XP Pro and suitable cable?
Am I actually wasting my time?
Regards
Tony

92. Re: Alinco Clone Software and XP

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-09-13 06:27:55 UTC
From: P@
Topic: 91 Message: 92

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Tony" <tony@s...> wrote:
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Mmmm now theres a question,I`m running 2000Pro and it works well all
the time,and Ive checked out W98 and thats ok but Ive never tested
XP on my pc.
P@

93. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Alinco Clone Software and XP

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-09-13 07:06:16 UTC
From: Don McLean
Topic: 91 Message: 93

I can confirm that I have used XP home and XP Professional on the Alinco. However I did splash out and but the proper cable.

Regards

Don McLean
----- Original Message -----
From: P@
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Monday, September 13, 2004 7:27 AM
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Alinco Clone Software and XP

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Tony" <tony@s...> wrote:
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94. Re: Alinco Clone Software and XP

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-10-03 00:41:50 UTC
From: ea3ewr
Topic: 91 Message: 94

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Tony" <tony@s...> wrote:
> Hi All,
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Clone
> Software using serial port and Win XP Pro and suitable cable?
> Am I actually wasting my time?
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I tried in 3 Windows XP computers experiencing a nice sort of
crashes, errors, and funy messages.

Definetly it does not work. Only If you are very, very lucky it may
work.

Regards,
Luis

95. Amplifier

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-10-27 15:19:19 UTC
From: jerry_thm
Topic: 95 Message: 95

Good day to all,
I would like to ask you If you can suggest to me a good amplifier
that will help me to increase-improve my signal.
Thank you for your help,
Best regards,
Jerry

97. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Amplifier

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-10-27 23:45:40 UTC
From: JB
Topic: 95 Message: 97

Perhaps an antenna specifically designed for the bands you are trying to use would be a better solution? Or did you want to improve your reception across all bands?

JB

-----Original Message-----
From: jerry_thm [mailto:jerry_thm@...]
Sent: Thursday, 28 October 2004 4:19 a.m.
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Amplifier

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99. Re: Amplifier

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-10-30 12:50:44 UTC
From: jerry_thm
Topic: 95 Message: 99

Good day,
mainly I'm interested for the airband area but if I can improve the
reception across the bands it's more than welcomed.Any ideas?
Regards,
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--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, JB <james.barnard@p...> wrote:
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> From: jerry_thm [mailto:jerry_thm@y...]
> Sent: Thursday, 28 October 2004 4:19 a.m.
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100. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Amplifier

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-10-30 13:06:41 UTC
From: JB
Topic: 95 Message: 100

Greetings,

If you're still using the standard aerial for you DJ-X3 I would think about getting one designed specifically for the air band. I was considering getting a telescopic whip for mine, that way you can tune the aerial for a specific band by changing its length. From what I have read it’s the aerial that lets the X3 down, so that would be a good place to start. Maybe just an after market wideband aerial would improve performance. You may need a SMA to BNC connector as the BNC is more widely used standard connector.

-----Original Message-----
From: jerry_thm [mailto:jerry_thm@yahoo.com]
Sent: Sunday, 31 October 2004 1:51 a.m.
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Amplifier

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102. DJ-X3 Problems?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-11-09 15:19:03 UTC
From: socainbr
Topic: 102 Message: 102

Hi,

I part exchanged my GRE PSR-282 for an Alinco DJ-X3 a few months back.

Also got magmount ScanKing wideband antenna.

On my 282, I could pick up ATIS and other air traffic, but get
nothing on the X3.

Also, some FM broadcast stations that I can get on my home stereo, I
cannot get on my X3.

Also, I have a low poer FM transmitter that my Steepletone MBR-747
has no trouble picking up round the house, but with the X3 I get
nothing!

Other bands etc seem fine (I get police, taxis, POCSAG, SW, 446 all
great!).

Am I doing something wrong???

103. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] DJ-X3 Problems?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-11-09 15:32:02 UTC
From: Jan van Dinteren
Topic: 102 Message: 103

- Check the type of antenna;
- Turn the Attenuator OFF;
- Adjust the squelch level or turn off;
- air traffic frequencies should be set to AM modulation;
- FM broadcast stations should be set to WFM modulation.

Good luck!

-----Oorspronkelijk bericht-----
Van: socainbr [mailto:ian.blackmoor@...]
Verzonden: dinsdag 9 november 2004 16:19
Aan: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Onderwerp: [alinco-dj-x3] DJ-X3 Problems?

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104. Re: DJ-X3 Problems?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-11-10 10:40:23 UTC
From: socainbr
Topic: 102 Message: 104

Cheers for that!

I'll have a twiddle....

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Jan van Dinteren" <jvdn@s...>
wrote:
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> Van: socainbr [mailto:ian.blackmoor@b...]
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> Aan: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
> Onderwerp: [alinco-dj-x3] DJ-X3 Problems?
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> Also got magmount ScanKing wideband antenna.
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> On my 282, I could pick up ATIS and other air traffic, but get
> nothing on the X3.
>
> Also, some FM broadcast stations that I can get on my home stereo,
I
> cannot get on my X3.
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> Also, I have a low poer FM transmitter that my Steepletone MBR-747
> has no trouble picking up round the house, but with the X3 I get
> nothing!
>
> Other bands etc seem fine (I get police, taxis, POCSAG, SW, 446 all
> great!).
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> Am I doing something wrong???
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105. FM filters

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-11-11 07:49:50 UTC
From: leopeppeblues
Topic: 105 Message: 105

Hi to all! I'd like to know what kind of FM filters are used on Alinco scanner ...

Is it possible to replace them with Murata narrower filters?

Thanks to all for the help! ;)

Leo

106. New Scanning/Radio Group For West Mids/Birmingham

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-11-12 10:37:49 UTC
From: socainbr
Topic: 106 Message: 106

Join brumscan - UK_Birmingham_Radio_Scanning

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/brumscan

Enjoy your stay..

107. Re: DJ-X3 Problems?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-11-15 08:55:49 UTC
From: socainbr
Topic: 102 Message: 107

Well, got so annoyed with DJ-X3 that I took it back to Maplins.

Swapped it for a GRE PSR255 and got £80 change.

The GRE works 1000% beter than my Alinco (I'm picking up all sorts now!!).

So see you all...

108. how about the reception on 30-70 Mhz...

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-11-23 07:34:39 UTC
From: leopeppeblues
Topic: 108 Message: 108

I'd like to know how is the performance of this scanner on these frequencies...

are you able to pick e-skip?

I haven't this scanner, but I'm interested in one... but before I'd like to know its performance!

Leo

109. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] how about the reception on 30-70 Mhz...

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-11-23 14:25:09 UTC
From: little miss
Topic: 108 Message: 109

I have one for sale if your interested. It is the japanese version. No blocks.

Mint condition

Thanks
Terry
----- Original Message -----
From: leopeppeblues
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tuesday, November 23, 2004 1:34 AM
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] how about the reception on 30-70 Mhz...

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frequencies...

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110. Scanning in bands

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-11-24 12:32:15 UTC
From: Jon
Topic: 110 Message: 110

I have noticed when scanning that a weak signal being received is suddenly cut off when a stronger signal appears in the same group of frequencies I'm scanning at the time, then when the strong signal finishes it drops back to the weaker signal which appears to have been transmitting all the time.

Anyone else noticed this ?

It happens mostly when monitoring local airband frequencies, I can be listening to a plane some way off when a plane passing overhead transmits and the scanner switches to the stronger signal rather than staying with the distant one.

111. less bills

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-11-30 16:09:49 UTC
From: mxotrewq
Topic: 111 Message: 111

hey,

Just wanted to share some info and see if I could help anyone else lower their mortgage payments, I saved nearly $200 off my monthly payment!

Takes two minutes take a look.

http://agocras.net/azwh1

I posted this on alinco-dj-x3, if you dont want to be a member anymore just email alinco-dj-x3-unsubscribe@yahoogroups.com

112. Re: Scanning in bands

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-12-08 12:30:57 UTC
From: Jon
Topic: 110 Message: 112

I managed to answer my own question with a bit of experimentation and observation of the display, the distant signal has breaks in transmission and the scanner scans through the bands so fast it picks up the closer transmission before getting through the list to that band again.

When nothing else is transmitting it return to the distant transmission so fast its virtually un-noticable.

113. Re: Dissapointed Newbie

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-12-27 10:46:29 UTC
From: webvizir
Topic: 36 Message: 113

Hi everybody

i'm new on the wave radio

I would like to be one day a ham operator, and the first thing before emetting is listening. this is why i choose to scan frequency.
and after reading a lot of forums, i prefere the DJX3 scanner

I just receive it (version K) and I didn't scan anything (except radio and TV)
Actually, I can receive signals, but it is noise (even if I descrambling)

I will try to do what isktn says (post #41) and hope that i have more result

My questions :
1 - is there is a difference between the version of DJX3 (E vs K for example) ??
2 - where could I find information about TETRA

I detect also the same probleme as Robin, and for the range 95 - 108, and also for about 500 - 700.
Does the same tip could work ?

happy to join this group

PS : excuse my english. i'm used to speak in french

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "jerry_thm" <jerry_thm@y...> wrote:
> Tony,
> i managed to capture some frequencies.I bought a new internal
> antenna, the easiest thing is to receive the approach.I would like
> to ask you how can i increase my signal level.I have an internal tv
> antenna with an amplifier but the output is RF.Do u think that i can
> connect the RF to my dj-x3 antenna?Will i have better results?I know
> that i'm a newbie and you may find these questions stupid (which
> means that i could ask privately),but i publish them in this forum
> for the next newbies.
> Thank's again,
> With respect,
> Jerry
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> --- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "isktn" <epideme@t...> wrote:
> > Jerry,
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> > As previously mentioned, I beleive that your receiver is not set
> to
> > AM mode.
> > Set frequency step to a manual setting and then use the wAvE mot
> do
> > light up the "A" indicator.
> >
> > I use the receiver for airband almost all the time, and I am very
> > satisfied with the results. The reception is clearer than my
other
> > receivers including the Uniden Bearcat 220XLT.
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> > Even ACARS digital transmissions decode very well with a decent
> > antenna. I also use a 20dB TV-antenna amplifier to increase my
> range
> > of the home made vertical dipole antenna.
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> > With this combination I use the lovely built-in attenuator to
keep
> > the interference down from strong FM transmitters. This
attenuator
> > seem to let through the tuned frequency quite well even though it
> > should, with the amplifier I mentioned, even out to 0dB by
> > specifications.
> >
> > I cover 400km radius of ACC with this combination, between FL400
> down
> > to FL100.
> > About half that radius at TMA.
> >
> > /Tony
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> > --- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "jerry_thm" <jerry_thm@y...>
> > wrote:
> > > Dear Firends,
> > > it's 6 hours since i bought this beauty.I'm a flightsimmer and
> > > mainly i want to hear the airband.But i'm very dissapointed.I
> live
> > > in the centre of Glasgow and i can't hear nothing more than am-
> fm.I
> > > read the directions,i tried different configurations ,i tried
> all
> > > the frequencies i'm interested in, but i can't hear even the
> ATIS

> > > (129.575) which supposed to be a very strong signal.
> > > Any ideas please?
> > > Do i do something wrong?
> > > Jerry

114. batterie and chargeur

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2004-12-27 11:13:07 UTC
From: webvizir
Topic: 114 Message: 114

Hi

I have a cellular phone made by alcatel
The chargeur (home or car) can also be used for the DJX3

for information

115. Re: Dissapointed Newbie

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-01-01 15:20:01 UTC
From: Stuart
Topic: 36 Message: 115

To Webvisir

Try turning the "ATT" off / on and see if that makes a difference it did with mine.

The "E" Model is the Uk version as far as i`m aware, The K model must be for a different country. What country are you in?

116. Re: Alinco Clone Software and XP

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-01-01 15:28:04 UTC
From: Stuart
Topic: 91 Message: 116

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "ea3ewr" <ea3ewr@t...> wrote:
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> --- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Tony" <tony@s...> wrote:
> > Hi All,
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> Clone
> > Software using serial port and Win XP Pro and suitable cable?
> > Am I actually wasting my time?
> > Regards
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> I tried in 3 Windows XP computers experiencing a nice sort of
> crashes, errors, and funy messages.
>
> Definetly it does not work. Only If you are very, very lucky it may
> work.
>
> Regards,
> Luis

It can`t just be pure luck if it works or not,You must have a setting wrong or something like that.

117. Forum

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-01-01 15:47:39 UTC
From: Stuart
Topic: 117 Message: 117

http://scotscan.proboards39.com

118. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Dissapointed Newbie

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-01-01 21:11:18 UTC
From: Saad REGRAGUI
Topic: 36 Message: 118

thx stuart

I bought it from Canada (K), but i'm from morocco
the attenuator is off (is it correct)

I'm alos trying to connect it with my laptop with a double jack cable
i want to use skysweeper pro that can decode a lot of things as they say in
the demo (but it is only on demo mode :'((( )

do you think that the antenna is efficient ?
i try the 'ear antenna' and i don't think there is a great difference

----- Original Message -----
From: "Stuart" <r3stu@...>
To: <alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Saturday, January 01, 2005 3:20 PM
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Dissapointed Newbie

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119. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Alinco Clone Software and XP

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-01-01 21:48:18 UTC
From: Tony Fendall
Topic: 91 Message: 119

Stuart,
I have given up with XP now.
Have you got any setting suggestions that may revive my interest.
Tony

-----Original Message-----
From: Stuart [mailto:r3stu@...]
Sent: 01 January 2005 15:28
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Alinco Clone Software and XP

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120. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Alinco Clone Software and XP

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-01-02 00:37:43 UTC
From: mike@cbtinc.net
Topic: 91 Message: 120

The software works fine in XP. There have been only two known issues:

1) Nvidia screen resolution utilities have to be either updated to the current version or removed from startup. This Nvidia bug prevents the software from even starting. The error relates to something in a VB6 runtime dll support file.

2) The software should be run under a sign-on with administrator privileges.

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> work.

121. is anyone try using software with it

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-01-03 19:39:58 UTC
From: Saad REGRAGUI
Topic: 121 Message: 121

Hello

i bought a cable to connect the earphone of the scanner to the microphone input of my laptop

there are a lot of software in the web to analyze signals and a download a lot.

Is there anyone can advise a beginner ??

thx

122. newbie question

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-01-06 18:49:21 UTC
From: garciaatsocrates
Topic: 122 Message: 122

Hi-

Just traded a ham radio for a DJ-X3 and am trying to
figure out what version I have. The guy I traded with
told me it was the E version, but the original manual
was in Japanese, and I am wondering if I have the S version.
Is there an easy way to find out?

The reason I care is because according to Alinco's website
the software may not work with the DJX3S. Guess I will find
out the hard way.

Lastly, any recommendations on a good place to find the cable?

Thanks,
Mariano

123. Re: is anyone try using software with it

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-01-07 09:09:55 UTC
From: P@
Topic: 121 Message: 123

Hi Saad

I use
SatMon - Weather Satellite Telemetry Recorder (OK)
&
WXtoImg (A lot better)
for weather telemetry decoding and producing weather maps.
You will certainly want a much improved ant to get good results with
the above software.

And I use
PDW-v1.10 (very good)
for decodeing text & pager signals,you will probably get something
with your standard ant.

Just Google or Yahoo for SatMon & PDW-v1.10 you should find them for
download no trouble,PDW-v1.10 may want registering unless you can
find the crack.

hope to have been informative in some way
Pat

124. Lets start a discussion

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-01-16 15:04:02 UTC
From: jerry_thm
Topic: 124 Message: 124

Good day,
I own this receiver 8 months now and I don't think I have taken 100% of it.
I would like to start a discussion about all the capabilities and all the things I can do with this receiver.
For example what can I connect?I can connect it with my laptop but only for changing frequencies????I'm a pure newbie and I don't know what a filter is,I asked once at maplin if I can increase the signal with an amplifier but they told me that I just need a huge antenna (no imagination).Anyway, I'm really confused and I would like to ask you to give me some guidance.
On the other hand I saw this http://www.airbandonline.co.uk/softwr_airmaster.htm and I don't know if I can work it out.
So, initially: What connections can I make in order to increase my signal?Amplifiers, filters,larger aerials?
Secondly: What other capabilities do I have with this?Can I realy decode a/c data?Can I send sat images to my laptop?
Please enter in this discussion,it will be a great reference for the next newbies as well.
As a conclusion somethin I found today.
www.hamdirectory.info/schemi/ALINCO_DJ-X3_serv.pdf
Thank you
Jerry

125. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: is anyone try using software with it

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-01-17 15:42:48 UTC
From: Saad REGRAGUI
Topic: 121 Message: 125

Ok

i'm trying to search PDW to download it, but i just found crack, and no
software
the fact is before starding decoding signal, I don't know in which
frequencie i can hear it to decode.

Have you got an international frequency plan (for all the reserved frequency
all over the world) ?
i search about it, but with no results for the moment

----- Original Message -----
From: "P@" <UGGUMPH@...>
To: <alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Friday, January 07, 2005 9:09 AM
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: is anyone try using software with it

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> Hi Saad
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126. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Lets start a discussion

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-01-17 16:01:33 UTC
From: Saad REGRAGUI
Topic: 124 Message: 126

I have mine since a month, and I can hear police for example
my probleme is I am in a country where there no public frequency plan (there
is one, but it is'n so much clear)

FOr the moment i connect the DJX3 with an audio cable to my micrphone input
(sound card)
it works without any probleme
and there are a lot of software who use the sound card
I use some of them, and the decode signals (like MMTTY), but i can't
guaranteed the result

perhap's could we scna together the same frequency (international frequency
for exemple) and compare our results

----- Original Message -----
From: "jerry_thm" <jerry_thm@...>
To: <alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Sunday, January 16, 2005 3:04 PM
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Lets start a discussion

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127. Re: Lets start a discussion

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-01-17 20:39:44 UTC
From: jerry_thm
Topic: 124 Message: 127

I just saw this book http://www.maplin.co.uk/images/Full/656i0.jpg
at Maplin. If someone has it electronically (pdf or doc) please send
it to jerry_thm@... .It looks really comprehensive. If I
violate any rule I apologise.
Best regards,
Jerry

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128. Re: is anyone try using software with it

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-01-18 17:48:57 UTC
From: P@
Topic: 121 Message: 128

Hi
you may want to try thr attached link for Scanpromauk and look in
their files section under 'pager related' you will have to join the
group to get at the files but it is a very worthwhile group to join,
Oh dont just go in and raid their files make a post and intrroduce
yourself and they will be a very helpful lot,2500 members at the last
count so they can be really helpful.

The link http://groups.yahoo.com/group/scanpromauk/

Have fun
P@

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129. pocsag & the alinco dj-x3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-02-09 14:54:33 UTC
From: JRC
Topic: 129 Message: 129

Hi all, I've recently been trying out some pocsag software (pdw) with varying success,
and was wondering if anyone has tried to tap the discriminator output on the dj-x3, or come across any information on how I might go about it? I'm a newbie to scanning but not too bad with a soldering iron, although i'd like to get a fair amount of info into my hands before i start mucking about with my scanners innards!
Any pointers would be very welcome,
regards
Joe

130. Better antenna?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-02-17 03:32:45 UTC
From: e_man1953
Topic: 130 Message: 130

Looking for a better antenna for the dj-x3....something better than what it comes with. Problem is that I live in an apartment and would like to get better reception, if possible.

Any recommendations?

Mike

131. Japan charger in the USA?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-02-17 03:40:51 UTC
From: e_man1953
Topic: 131 Message: 131

Can I use the charger base that came with the Japan version, here in
the USA or do I need to buy a different system to charge the battery?

Thanks,
Mike

132. Re: Better antenna?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-02-17 07:53:39 UTC
From: bletchleypark2001
Topic: 130 Message: 132

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wrote:
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>
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Mike : You might give this a try it's from UNIVERSAL RADIO.
http://www.universal-radio.com/catalog/scanants/2368.html
I don't have one myself but this model is available with the SMA
connector like on the DJ-X3 instead of the BNC connector found on
most scanner antenna's.

133. Re: Japan charger in the USA?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-02-17 08:54:46 UTC
From: bletchleypark2001
Topic: 131 Message: 133

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "e_man1953" <scanner50@z...>
wrote:
>
> Can I use the charger base that came with the Japan version, here
in
> the USA or do I need to buy a different system to charge the
battery?
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> Thanks,
> Mike

You can use the base its the AC adaptor you may be concerned about.
I have the Japan model also when I tried to use the orginal it did
charge the battery but became very warm. I never throw away my old
wall warts and found one with the same size plug that said Input
AC120V - Output DC12V It works and stays cool. You can buy one from
UNIVERSAL RADIO
http://www.universal-radio.com/catalog/widerxvr/1003.html
NO ! I DON'T WORK FOR UNIVERSAL ....

134. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Japan charger in the USA?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-02-17 19:46:47 UTC
From: Saad REGRAGUI
Topic: 131 Message: 134

I use the charger of the Alcatel's GSM
it works well

----- Original Message -----
From: "bletchleypark2001" <mseedstory@...>
To: <alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Thursday, February 17, 2005 8:54 AM
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Japan charger in the USA?

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135. Re: Japan charger in the USA?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-02-18 04:03:06 UTC
From: ksmyzx
Topic: 131 Message: 135

I happen to be an Electrical Engineer and had an old variac at home.
So I dialed it to 100 volts ac and the charger worked nicely. It
gets hot if you use our 115 volt system. And Radio shack can get you
the right ac to dc transformer too.

I'm very satisfied with the charge on the battery.

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Saad REGRAGUI"
<s.regragui@m...> wrote:
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> it works well
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> To: <alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com>
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136. cordless phones

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-02-25 12:42:11 UTC
From: rodgers982000
Topic: 136 Message: 136

hi just recieved this scanner,can any one tell me if this scanner
can pick up cordless phones.............cheerio

137. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Digest Number 79

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-02-25 14:27:33 UTC
From: Robin Emery
Topic: 137 Message: 137

Hi,

Yes it can pick up cordless phones, but only the analogue one's.

Frequencies are 30-32MHz. I suggest a discone antenna for improved reception. I have on purched on my window seal plugged into my DJ-X3E and the results are amazing. It is even picking up phone calls from 500 metres or more.

Enjoy!

Regards,
Robin

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> There is 1 message in this issue.
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> Topics in this digest:
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> 1. cordless phones
> From: "rodgers982000" <rodgers982000@...>
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> Message: 1
> Date: Fri, 25 Feb 2005 12:42:11 -0000
> From: "rodgers982000" <rodgers982000@...>
> Subject: cordless phones
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> hi just recieved this scanner,can any one tell me if this scanner
> can pick up cordless phones.............cheerio
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138. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] cordless phones

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-02-25 14:49:36 UTC
From: Saad REGRAGUI
Topic: 136 Message: 138

I think you have also 26,300 /26,500 MHz

have you ever pick up cellular phone
for me, just one time at 648 Mhz
They say that the X3 is cell unblocked, but when i scan the cellular
frequencies, I have nothing

another question for the ACARS system : i stay at 131, 525 (and other near
frequencies), I have something but impossible to interprete it

The most important question : is there any software that analyse signals and
tell what kind of signal : RTTY, ACARS, etc. (in order to decode it with an
apropriate software) ???

----- Original Message -----
From: "rodgers982000" <rodgers982000@...>
To: <alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Friday, February 25, 2005 12:42 PM
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] cordless phones

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139. cable to connect to DJ-X3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-02-28 03:40:40 UTC
From: d.cordes@sbcglobal.net
Topic: 139 Message: 139

hello all,

should you need a cable I have put one on ebay with a starting bid of $15. It is listed as ERW-4C computer interface cable for Alinco DJ-X3

It is item number 5754537402. I paid about $40 for it but don't need it anymore.

Thanks

140. No Keypad

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-03-02 21:29:04 UTC
From: joey poeier
Topic: 140 Message: 140

Hi All

I am looking to get a new scanner radio. I came across this model and it is sure a good looking radio with a lot of features in it.

One thing i noticed in the photos i've seen is ther is no keypad to enter frequencies.

Does this mean you need a computer and softare and the cable to program frequencies ito it ?

thanks,
Jim

Celebrate Yahoo!'s 10th Birthday!
Yahoo! Netrospective: 100 Moments of the Web

141. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] No Keypad

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-03-02 22:19:33 UTC
From: Cougar
Topic: 140 Message: 141

It doesn't let you directly enter the frequency but you can turn it by button on the top of scanner. You can change it by +- 0.25 (or whatever step you have), +- 1 MHz and +- 10 Mhz. I can send you a user manual if you like.

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Cougar

On Wed, 2 Mar 2005, joey poeier wrote:

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>
> thanks,
> Jim
>

142. Re: No Keypad

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-03-02 22:30:49 UTC
From: e_man1953
Topic: 140 Message: 142

I am looking to sell mine (Japanese model) along with a Diamond
Antenna SRH77CA and USA charger.

It's about 3 weeks old and have used it MAYBE 4 hours.

"Like" new condition (not brand new because I have used it).

Let me know....

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, joey poeier
<snake_eyes_1016@y...> wrote:
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143. Scotscan

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-03-03 17:06:31 UTC
From: Stuart
Topic: 143 Message: 143

Scotscan has now moved to http://scotscan.happy0.ath.cx Please take the time to register/re-register

Many thanks Stuart

144. I am selling this on Ebay! GREAT DEAL!!!!

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-03-07 02:24:42 UTC
From: e_man1953
Topic: 144 Message: 144

I am selling this Alinco DJ-X3 on ebay.

One month old WITH a $50.00 BONUS!

Bidding starts @ $120.00

Check it out.

Alinco DJ-X3 Japan Version NO GAPS/NO BREAKS

Auction Number 5757650110 (just paste and copy this in the search)

Reason for selling - my wife has agreed to buy me to buy a digital scanner if/when I sell this one.

GREAT DEAL!

Mike

145. Re: cordless phones

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-03-10 15:30:57 UTC
From: druidstoneuk
Topic: 136 Message: 145

The only data signals you should have around 131MHz are ACARS. There are numerous decoders available with various features and prices. Mode should be set to AM as per normal civil airband

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Saad REGRAGUI" <s.regragui@m...> wrote:

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> frequencies), I have something but impossible to interprete it
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> The most important question : is there any software that analyse signals and
> tell what kind of signal : RTTY, ACARS, etc. (in order to decode it with an
> apropriate software) ???

146. Re: Alinco Clone Software and XP

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-03-26 22:41:03 UTC
From: Tony
Topic: 91 Message: 146

Hi Mike,
I have a few days to spare over Easter so I thought I would try to
link DJX3E to Win XP PC again.
I have the latest Nvidia drivers, is this what you refer to below?
Can't find anything Nvidia in start up folder, but an icon comes up at
bottom right of my screen each time I boot up, so I closed it.
I am the administrator of my PC.
The message I now get is
'Runtime error '5'
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So I still can't use with XP.
Any more ideas I could try.
Regards
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> current version or removed from startup. This Nvidia bug prevents
the
> software from even starting. The error relates to something in a VB6
> runtime dll support file.
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> 2) The software should be run under a sign-on with administrator
privileges.

148. thinking of buying.....

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-04-16 20:57:52 UTC
From: bvgftr2
Topic: 148 Message: 148

haven't bought my scanner yet
as i'm trying to study them before

one thing i notice about this scanner is it has
a bug detector....
is that just a fancy way of saying something about this radio
or do all scanners have the ability to pick up a room bug
with the appropriate antennae?

also i'm interested in hearing tv stations on it...
when i'm travelling outside city area..
if the signals are weak will i not be able to pick them up
with this scanner

anyone know how this scanner compares to the yaesu 500
or yuperitu 1700

thanks

bj

150. some advice please

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-05-08 19:33:39 UTC
From: lil_jo_032000
Topic: 150 Message: 150

hi all, i have had my djx3 for a couple of years now and am thinking of upgrading/changing, i would welcome your advice & opinions on the alinco dj-c7, thank in advance, joanne.
http://www.nevadaradio.co.uk/acatalog/alinco-djc7.html

151. Re: newbie question

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-05-23 20:32:55 UTC
From: alexvanhalenisgod
Topic: 122 Message: 151

Slide the battery cover/holder down and look on the top right of the label.

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "garciaatsocrates" <msg5@c...> wrote:
>
> Hi-
>
> Just traded a ham radio for a DJ-X3 and am trying to
> figure out what version I have. The guy I traded with
> told me it was the E version, but the original manual
> was in Japanese, and I am wondering if I have the S version.
> Is there an easy way to find out?
>
> The reason I care is because according to Alinco's website
> the software may not work with the DJX3S. Guess I will find
> out the hard way.
>
> Lastly, any recommendations on a good place to find the cable?
>
> Thanks,
> Mariano

152. DJ-X3 on eBay

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-05-25 17:27:23 UTC
From: brettc2010
Topic: 152 Message: 152

Hello,

I am selling my new Alinco DJ-X3 on eBay. It is item number 5776827082.

The link is http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5776827082

Brett

153. New file uploaded to alinco-dj-x3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-05-27 17:52:02 UTC
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 11 Message: 153

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the alinco-dj-x3
group.

File : /smdinterface.zip
Uploaded by : helgeww <helgex3@...>
Description : Interface that fits into the 9-pin serial connector

You can access this file at the URL:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/files/smdinterface.zip

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
http://help.yahoo.com/help/us/groups/files

Regards,

helgeww <helgex3@...>

162. connector

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-07-23 19:41:51 UTC
From: Stuart
Topic: 162 Message: 162

I am buying a antenna with a bnc connection on the end, as the alinco djx3 is a sma, where can i get a connector so they both fit?

163. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] connector

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-07-23 19:53:54 UTC
From: Marco de Vivo
Topic: 162 Message: 163

Grove enterprses or Universal-Radio.

http://www.grove-ent.com/

http://www.universal-radio.com/

Marco

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164. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] connector

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-07-23 20:47:41 UTC
From: Don McLean
Topic: 162 Message: 164

I obtained a couple from Radio Spares in the UK with a next day delivery.

Don

From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Stuart
Sent: 23 July 2005 20:42
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] connector

I am buying a antenna with a bnc connection on the end, as the alinco djx3 is a sma, where can i get a connector so they both fit?

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<http://groups.yahoo.com/gads?t=ms&k=Craft+hobby&w1=Craft+hobby&w2=Hobby+and+craft+supply&w3=Ham+radio&w4=Hobby+supply&w5=Ham+radio+outlet&w6=Ham+radio+sales&c=6&s=121&.sig=4UQ6hq71fzWQ-_KVN8V15A> hobby

Hobby
<http://groups.yahoo.com/gads?t=ms&k=Hobby+and+craft+supply&w1=Craft+hobby&w2=Hobby+and+craft+supply&w3=Ham+radio&w4=Hobby+supply&w5=Ham+radio+outlet&w6=Ham+radio+sales&c=6&s=121&.sig=c0HuWWJGTcfSnjqKblCxew> and craft supply

Ham
<http://groups.yahoo.com/gads?t=ms&k=Ham+radio&w1=Craft+hobby&w2=Hobby+and+craft+supply&w3=Ham+radio&w4=Hobby+supply&w5=Ham+radio+outlet&w6=Ham+radio+sales&c=6&s=121&.sig=_GLqh7fOGy2wHMvuVid9qQ> radio

Hobby
<http://groups.yahoo.com/gads?t=ms&k=Hobby+supply&w1=Craft+hobby&w2=Hobby+and+craft+supply&w3=Ham+radio&w4=Hobby+supply&w5=Ham+radio+outlet&w6=Ham+radio+sales&c=6&s=121&.sig=mSwuLFiGZ2Go35G_jQXD3A> supply

Ham
<http://groups.yahoo.com/gads?t=ms&k=Ham+radio+outlet&w1=Craft+hobby&w2=Hobby+and+craft+supply&w3=Ham+radio&w4=Hobby+supply&w5=Ham+radio+outlet&w6=Ham+radio+sales&c=6&s=121&.sig=xjf_eMPwlP-PYxkumPg97g> radio outlet

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YAHOO! GROUPS LINKS

* Visit your group "alinco-dj-x3
<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3> " on the web.

* To unsubscribe from this group, send an email to:
alinco-dj-x3-unsubscribe@yahoogroups.com
<mailto:alinco-dj-x3-unsubscribe@yahoogroups.com?subject=Unsubscribe>

* Your use of Yahoo! Groups is subject to the Yahoo!
<http://docs.yahoo.com/info/terms/> Terms of Service.

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No virus found in this incoming message.
Checked by AVG Anti-Virus.
Version: 7.0.323 / Virus Database: 267.9.2/55 - Release Date: 21/07/2005

165. Help please

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-08-03 15:27:54 UTC
From: devonmark13
Topic: 165 Message: 165

How do I connect my scanner to the computer and decode pager messages/

166. Hi from new member

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-08-08 16:27:30 UTC
From: rgrsmsn
Topic: 166 Message: 166

Hi all, glad to be part of the group. I am expecting delivery of my new DJ-X3 from Waters and Stanton first thing in the morning (Tuesday 08.08.05)
I was surprised to find that they are the cheapest for the DJX3 at the moment, costing £109.00. Not bad at all really.
Anyway, I never had one of these before, (have had many others, but not this one)
I hope I can get to grips with it as it appears at first glance to be a bit of a b**g*r. :-))
Although I also have a Icom R5, and that can be bad news for a newbie, so hopefully I shall soon master the x3 fairly soon.
Anybody got any secret key combinations for it, or any other interesting undocumented features.
cheers
RGR

167. Re: Hi from new member

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-08-08 16:28:38 UTC
From: rgrsmsn
Topic: 166 Message: 167

Sorry, Tuesday 9.8.05 :-))

RGR
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> RGR

168. sensitive on base antenna

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-08-10 21:09:34 UTC
From: rgrsmsn
Topic: 168 Message: 168

Hi all
Well I got my DJ-X3 this morning, tried it out, it works fine.
I find it overloads a bit on the airband when connected to a base antenna (discone) although it sounds fine with the attenuator on, do others experience this
Cheers
RGR

169. Re: cordless phones

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-08-11 16:41:47 UTC
From: rdg30uk
Topic: 136 Message: 169

31mhz for cordless in uk 4 both sides of conversation

31.037.50
31.062.50
31.087.50
31.112.50
31.137.50
31.162.50
31.187.50
31.212.50

all fm,these are the ones i use but im sure theres more

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170. Re: cordless phones

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-08-15 00:30:28 UTC
From: Brian Gilbert
Topic: 136 Message: 170

Here, in the States, most analog domestic telephone basses are found from 43.720 to 44.500 and 46.610 to 46.970 MHz NFM. Most digital and encrypted phones are in other bands. Cellular phones are from 869.040 to 894.990MHz NFM in 30KHz steps...both digital and analog.

171. Re: Alinco Clone Software and XP

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-08-19 15:18:50 UTC
From: Tony
Topic: 91 Message: 171

Hi All,
I have now finally given up trying to link my DJ-X3E to my Windows XP Pro (SP 2) PC.
I have tried both unofficial and Alinco cables and can report that it just does not work.
Therefore I now need to sell the unit and buy a unit that will communicate with my PC.
I'm not saying that the DJ-X3E will not work with all PC's, but if you are thinking of buying and have a Win XP Pro PC, make sure you try it out immediately and that your dealer will take it back if it won't work.
I hope this will save some of you wasting £200 like I have.
Regards
Tony

--- In alinco-dj-x3@...m, "Tony" <tony@s...> wrote:
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> Hi Mike,
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> link DJX3E to Win XP PC again.
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172. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Alinco Clone Software and XP

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-08-20 00:06:26 UTC
From: ea3ewr
Topic: 91 Message: 172

Hi everyone:

I sold mine as well. I had same problem. Alinco soft is just not professional.

It is probably the worst scanner that I have never had. Try with UNIDEN is simply perfect.

Regards,
Luis

-----Original Message-----
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Tony
Sent: viernes, 19 de agosto de 2005 17:19
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Alinco Clone Software and XP

Hi All,
I have now finally given up trying to link my DJ-X3E to my Windows XP Pro (SP 2) PC.
I have tried both unofficial and Alinco cables and can report that it just does not work.
Therefore I now need to sell the unit and buy a unit that will communicate with my PC.
I'm not saying that the DJ-X3E will not work with all PC's, but if you are thinking of buying and have a Win XP Pro PC, make sure you try it out immediately and that your dealer will take it back if it won't work.
I hope this will save some of you wasting £200 like I have.
Regards
Tony

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Tony" <tony@s...> wrote:
>
> Hi Mike,
> I have a few days to spare over Easter so I thought I would try to
> link DJX3E to Win XP PC again.
> I have the latest Nvidia drivers, is this what you refer to below?
> Can't find anything Nvidia in start up folder, but an icon comes up at
> bottom right of my screen each time I boot up, so I closed it.
> I am the administrator of my PC.
> The message I now get is
> 'Runtime error '5'
> Invalid procedure call or argument'
> The DJX3E now shows 'oK' in the display, which I have never got

before.
> So I still can't use with XP.
> Any more ideas I could try.
> Regards
> Tony
> --- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, <mike@c...> wrote:
> > The software works fine in XP. There have been only two known
> issues:
> >
> > 1) Nvidia screen resolution utilities have to be either updated
to
> the
> > current version or removed from startup. This Nvidia bug
prevents
> the
> > software from even starting. The error relates to something in
a VB6
> > runtime dll support file.
> >
> > 2) The software should be run under a sign-on with administrator
> privileges.

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173. batterys and mains adapter

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-08-23 16:40:32 UTC
From: rgrsmsn
Topic: 173 Message: 173

Do you have to take the batteries out of the radio before you plug in the mains adapter, or can you just leave them in, also will this method charge the batteries as well or not
thanks
Rog

174. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] batterys and mains adapter

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-08-24 07:10:57 UTC
From: Jan van Dinteren
Topic: 173 Message: 174

It won't charge your batteries, but you can leave them in (as i always
do:-))
Jan
-----Oorspronkelijk bericht-----
Van: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
[mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com]namens rgrsmsn
Verzonden: dinsdag 23 augustus 2005 18:41
Aan: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Onderwerp: [alinco-dj-x3] batterys and mains adapter

Do you have to take the batteries out of the radio before you plug in
the mains adapter, or can you just leave them in, also will this method
charge the batteries as well or not
thanks
Rog

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175. Re: batterys and mains adapter

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-08-24 11:08:26 UTC
From: rgrsmsn
Topic: 173 Message: 175

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Jan van Dinteren" <jvdn@s...>
wrote:
> It won't charge your batteries, but you can leave them in (as i
always
> do:-))
> Jan
> -----Oorspronkelijk bericht-----
> Van: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
> [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com]namens rgrsmsn
> Verzonden: dinsdag 23 augustus 2005 18:41
> Aan: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
> Onderwerp: [alinco-dj-x3] batterys and mains adapter
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>
> Do you have to take the batteries out of the radio before you
plug in
> the mains adapter, or can you just leave them in, also will this
method
> charge the batteries as well or not
> thanks
> Rog

Hi Jan
Thanks for the reply, best to be safe than sorry :-))
cheers
RGR

176. 4 Sale DJ-X3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-09-01 15:21:07 UTC
From: rgrsmsn
Topic: 176 Message: 176

Just upgraded to a aor 8600, I am selling my 3 month old Alinco DJ-X3 scanner, comes complete with box,manual and two antennas + sma to bnc adaptor
£80.00p includes next day before noon delivery by Royal-Mail (UK)
Roger

177. The protocol revealed?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-09-03 22:46:55 UTC
From: helgeww
Topic: 177 Message: 177

Is it time to start reverse engineering the communication protocol for the X3?

The official software leaves a lot to be desired, and development seems to have ground to a complete halt (newest version is from Dec. 2001).

Lots of people have problems getting the official software to run with XP.

Users with other operating systems, such as Linux, or even other hardware platforms like Apple or PDAs should also be able to program their radio with the ease and comfort of a computer interface.

I have already started some work, and I have figured out quite a bit. The problem is that the protocol reads and writes bits and bytes directly to and from memory. This means that not only the protocol needs to be discovered, but also the entire memory map of the receiver. I think I have figured out the most important bits and bytes, but the work is not complete. I am considering publishing my results here, so that everyone can join in on the job.

Comments, anyone?

178. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] The protocol revealed?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-09-03 23:48:07 UTC
From: mike@cbtinc.net
Topic: 177 Message: 178

A new version was recently released to address a regional settings issue.

There are no Windows XP specific bugs. Issues thought to be XP specific have been video driver bugs, com port driver bugs, and general cable problems and none of these are related to the software itself.

Another version will be publicly released as soon as we can debug an issue that one user is helping us to determine.

Mike

179. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] The protocol revealed?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-09-04 20:35:11 UTC
From: Helge Wunderlich
Topic: 177 Message: 179

On Sat, 3 Sep 2005 18:48:07 -0500, mike@... wrote:

>A new version was recently released to address a regional settings issue.

If so, it is well hidden. Alinco's official web page lists version
1.3.2 as the latest. It is almost four years old.

>There are no Windows XP specific bugs. Issues thought to be XP specific
>have been video driver bugs, com port driver bugs, and general cable
>problems and none of these are related to the software itself.
>
>Another version will be publicly released as soon as we can debug an issue
>that one user is helping us to determine.

No matter how many bugs you fix, you will never address the important
issues.

Publishing the memory map would allow everyone a fair chance to use
their radio together with their computer, no matter what type of
computer hardware or operating system they have.

In fact, I cannot see a single negative effect for Alinco or anyone
else from releasing the memory map. Maybe it would allow American
customers to tune in on the forbidden frequencies?

--
Helge Wunderlich

180. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] The protocol revealed?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-09-05 04:51:43 UTC
From: mike@cbtinc.net
Topic: 177 Message: 180

Aside from non-Windows computers and handheld devices what are the other important issues to you?

-----Original Message-----

No matter how many bugs you fix, you will never address the important issues.

181. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] The protocol revealed?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-09-05 18:47:16 UTC
From: Helge Wunderlich
Topic: 177 Message: 181

On Sun, 4 Sep 2005 23:51:43 -0500, you wrote:

>Aside from non-Windows computers and handheld devices what are the other
>important issues to you?

These were mentioned as examples. The important thing is that
customers should have freedom of choice.

Regarding the less important things, I have posted about it before,
but I don't mind a rerun:

- Strange use of colors. I have my Windows desktop configured with a
color combination which is easier on my eyes than the default setup.
The main colors are light green on black, and most gray colors turned
somewhat darker than standard. The result is all sorts of bad
combinations, such as black text on dark gray background, or frames in
a different color than the window background. Let me know if you want
a screenshot.

- Complete lack of copy and paste. I have another radio (different
make), and it would be nice to be able to copy and paste between the
applications. Transferring data to and from web pages, spreadsheets,
email or any other type of application is useful. Implementing it is
spectacularly simple.

- Application window cannot be resized. The application manages a
considerable amount of data, but only a little bit of it is visible at
a time, while the remaining 85% of my desktop goes unused. For
example, the "Memory bank" contains 700 items, but only 15 of them are
visible at a time. There was a time when all computers were running
640x480, but those days are gone.

- In the "Memory Bank" tab, inserting more than one row at a time
gives unexpected results. The new lines are not inserted
consecutively, but on every other line.

- Inserting rows in bank 0 moves all channels in all banks down. Same
problem when deleting. I have police in bank 0, ambulance in bank 1
and fire brigade in bank 3. If I want to delete a police frequency, I
have to take make sure I insert an empty row in the right place to
avoid an ambulance frequency rolling into the police bank. The
software essentially treats the radio memory like one big bank,
completely ignoring the bank boundaries.

- If I delete a program scan channel manually on the receiver, the
software will still think the channel is active and download the data
that was there before I deleted the channel. If I then upload this

information to the receiver, the deleted channel will effectively have been undeleted. It seems the bitmap in address 01A0 is not decoded properly while reading.

- If I double-click a "Program Scan" channel, the program crashes (untrapped error) with a "Run-time error 13: Type mismatch". This is a regional issue. If I change Windows' regional options to use the "dot" as a decimal separator, it works OK. Strangely, this problem occurs only if I go directly to the "Program Scan" tab using the menu. If I click the arrow buttons to get to the "Program Scan", no error occurs. Also, if I open any other frequency input window first, and then go the "Program Scan" tab, no error occurs.

--
Helge Wunderlich

182. antenna

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-10-02 09:26:54 UTC
From: Maurizio
Topic: 182 Message: 182

Hi,
a good antenna for my Rx !!!

183. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] antenna

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-10-02 09:59:15 UTC
From: madbat166@aol.com
Topic: 182 Message: 183

Is it for Home or mobile use ???
Regards
Mark

184. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] antenna

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-10-02 10:32:59 UTC
From: giovanni
Topic: 182 Message: 184

For home !!!
----- Original Message -----
From: madbat166@...
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Sunday, October 02, 2005 11:59 AM
Subject: Re: [alinco-dj-x3] antenna

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Regards
Mark

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185. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] antenna

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-10-02 19:37:56 UTC
From: madbat166@aol.com
Topic: 182 Message: 185

try a discone for the 25-1300 mhz and a long wire for the 0-25mhz I run both
and they work great.
regards
Mark

186. New file uploaded to alinco-dj-x3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-10-15 16:17:00 UTC
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 11 Message: 186

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the alinco-dj-x3
group.

File : /service.pdf
Uploaded by : incywincy3 <incywincy3@...>
Description : DJ-X3 Service Manual complete with circuitry diagrams.

You can access this file at the URL:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/files/service.pdf

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
http://help.yahoo.com/help/us/groups/files

Regards,

incywincy3 <incywincy3@...>

187. New DJ-X3 Memory Management Software - need help testing PLEASE

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-11-07 22:13:22 UTC
From: istirzak
Topic: 187 Message: 187

I have some new DJX3 Memory Management software I've been working on and need some helping testing it on Windows (all flavours) using different cables.

The app's written in Java 2 but as I only have a JComms api for Windows at present it's Windows O/S only atm.

I've tested the app. personally on several flavours of homebrewed cables under XP and it worked on all of them 100%.

If anyone's up for it, just email your O/S version and type of cable you have to test with and I'll get back to you.

Hopefully, those comms errors will be a thing of the past.

Cheers
Iain

188. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] New DJ-X3 Memory Management Software - need help testing PLEASE

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-11-07 22:35:22 UTC
From: Tony Fendall
Topic: 187 Message: 188

Hi Iain,
I would like to test your app.
I run XP pro and have one of your cables which I have not had success with Alinco software.
Regards
Tony

-----Original Message-----
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com]On Behalf Of istirzak
Sent: 07 November 2005 22:13
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] New DJ-X3 Memory Management Software - need help testing PLEASE

I have some new DJX3 Memory Management software I've been working on and need some helping testing it on Windows (all flavours) using different cables.

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Cheers
Iain

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189. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] New DJ-X3 Memory Management Software - need help testing PLEASE

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-11-08 15:16:43 UTC
From: Philip Taylor
Topic: 187 Message: 189

Hi Ian,

I would love to test it.
I am using XP pro with service pack 2 and have a standard comms to stereo mini jack cable which I understand will not work with the software supplied by Alinco.
I think it's great that people take the time to help others and I would like to thank you for your efferts.

Kindest regards

Phil

>From: "Tony Fendall" <tony@...>
>Reply-To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
>To: <alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com>
>Subject: RE: [alinco-dj-x3] New DJ-X3 Memory Management Software - need
>help testing PLEASE
>Date: Mon, 7 Nov 2005 22:35:22 -0000
>
>Hi Iain,
>I would like to test your app.
>I run XP pro and have one of your cables which I have not had success with
>Alinco software.
>Regards
>Tony
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>-----Original Message-----
>From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
>[mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com]On Behalf Of istirzak
>Sent: 07 November 2005 22:13
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>Cheers
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190. New file uploaded to alinco-dj-x3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-11-16 00:27:04 UTC
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 11 Message: 190

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the alinco-dj-x3
group.

File : /DJ-X3 MMU/DJ-X3MMU.txt
Uploaded by : istirzak <istirzak@...>
Description : DJ-X3MMU Read Me

You can access this file at the URL:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/files/DJ-X3%20MMU/DJ-X3MMU.txt

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
http://help.yahoo.com/help/us/groups/files

Regards,

istirzak <istirzak@...>

191. DJ-X3 Memory Management Utility

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-11-16 00:31:59 UTC
From: Cougar
Topic: 191 Message: 191

I've uploaded a DJ-X3 Memory Management Utility into the files area. There's a brief read me too.

Tested here on Win2K / Windows 98 / Windows XP and various flavours of Sun Java JRE 1.2

Iain

192. New file uploaded to alinco-dj-x3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-11-20 19:50:28 UTC
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 11 Message: 192

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the alinco-dj-x3
group.

File : /DJ-X3 MMU/DJ-X3MMUv1.00.03.zip
Uploaded by : istirzak <iain@...>
Description : DJ-X3 Memory Management Utility v1.00.03

You can access this file at the URL:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/files/DJ-X3%20MMU/DJ-X3MMUv1.00.03.zip

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
http://help.yahoo.com/help/us/groups/files

Regards,

istirzak <iain@...>

193. DJ-X3 Memory Management Utility v1.00.03

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-11-20 19:56:41 UTC
From: MØVPE
Topic: 193 Message: 193

I've uploaded a new version of the app. with updated installation instructions regarding the location of the files within the Java JRE directory.

Depending on your version of Java JRE, the correct locations should have read, for example,

comm.jar -> \Program Files\Java\jre1.5.0_05\lib
javax.comm.properties -> \Program Files\Java\jre1.5.0_05\lib
win32com.dll -> \Program Files\Java\jre1.5.0_05\bin
-> \windows\system32

Cheers,
Iain

194. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Well done,well done,well done

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-11-20 22:31:19 UTC
From: Tony Fendall
Topic: 193 Message: 194

Iain,
This is marvellous. It worked first time and told me I had the choice of
COM1,2 and 4, I chose 4.
Will try again on 1 tomorrow and let you know the result.
Regards
Tony

-----Original Message-----
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
[mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com]On Behalf Of M?VPE
Sent: 20 November 2005 19:57
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] DJ-X3 Memory Management Utility v1.00.03

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instructions regarding the location of the files within the Java JRE
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win32com.dll -> \Program Files\Java\jre1.5.0_05\bin
-> \windows\system32

Cheers,
Iain

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195. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] DJ-X3 Memory Management Utility v1.00.03

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-11-21 10:16:37 UTC
From: John Parr
Topic: 193 Message: 195

Hi Iain
What com port settings are you using ?
e.g. 4800,8,2,0
Downloaded your new ver and it can't find any com ports.
Regards John

----- Original Message -----
From: "M?VPE" <iain@...>
To: <alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Sunday, November 20, 2005 7:56 PM
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] DJ-X3 Memory Management Utility v1.00.03

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196. Re: DJ-X3 Memory Management Utility v1.00.03

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-11-21 11:22:39 UTC
From: MØVPE
Topic: 193 Message: 196

Hi John,

The app. asks XP for the comm ports it knows about, these comm ports
should be displayed on the screen at start-up. However, this is
purely informational. The app. defaults to COMM1 unless you change
it within the app.prop file.

The DJ-X3 communicates using: 9600,8,1,NONE.

Iain

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "John Parr" <john@g...> wrote:
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> To: <alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com>
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> > javax.comm.properties -> \Program Files\Java\jre1.5.0_05\lib
> > win32com.dll -> \Program Files\Java\jre1.5.0_05\bin
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197. Cable needed...

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-11-21 18:32:01 UTC
From: J W
Topic: 197 Message: 197

Hey there.
I have a DJ X3, and require a cable. Where can I get one from, or are
they simple to construct yourself?

Any help would be appreciated.

-JW

198. Re: Cable needed...

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-11-21 18:57:10 UTC
From: Tony
Topic: 197 Message: 198

Hi J-W,
I have bought the 'official' Alinco cable and a cable from
www.mOvpe.co.uk.
The Alinco is rather poor quality in all respects and twice the price
of the mOvpe cable, which works fine now with my system.
Tony

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "J W" <eyestalk@g...> wrote:
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are
> they simple to construct yourself?
>
> Any help would be appreciated.
>
> -JW
>

199. Re: Cable needed...

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-11-21 19:27:10 UTC
From: J W
Topic: 197 Message: 199

www.mOvpe.co.uk does not seem to exist anymore... any other good
sources for high quality cables?

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> The Alinco is rather poor quality in all respects and twice the
price
> of the mOvpe cable, which works fine now with my system.
> Tony

200. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Cable needed...

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-11-21 21:31:01 UTC
From: Helge Wunderlich
Topic: 197 Message: 200

On Mon, 21 Nov 2005 19:27:10 -0000, "J W" wrote:

>www.mOvpe.co.uk does not seem to exist anymore... any other good
>sources for high quality cables?

Replace the O with a zero:

http://www.m0vpe.co.uk/

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Helge Wunderlich

201. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Cable needed...

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-11-21 23:46:40 UTC
From: Philip Taylor
Topic: 197 Message: 201

I found this link the other day from a UK supplier and it is cheaper than
the offical cable. Haven't bought one myself yet but if anyone has then
maybe they could let us know what they are like.

http://g4zlp.co.uk/UKPages/Programming%20Interfaces/5BPage.htm

Phil

>From: "Tony" <tony@...>
>Reply-To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
>To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
>Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Cable needed...
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202. Re: Cable needed...

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-11-22 21:12:54 UTC
From: wizard69xanth
Topic: 197 Message: 202

Hi Phil,

I got one of the cables from G4ZLP and it works perfectly, very well made and a reasonable price.

Bob

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Philip Taylor" <incywincy3@h...> wrote:
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203. DJ-X3 Memory Management Utility

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-11-24 10:58:26 UTC
From: MØVPE
Topic: 191 Message: 203

I've uploaded a new version of the DJ-X3MMU.

The frequency input control has been fixed, it should now only except
freqs between 0.100 - 1299.995MHz.

Cheers,
Iain

204. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Cable needed...

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-11-24 22:58:05 UTC
From: Philip Taylor
Topic: 197 Message: 204

Thanks for the feedback Bob, will have to see what change Father Christmas leaves me and treat myself.

I don't know if anyone has a good souce site for fequency lists that they would like to share with others, I've been using http://www.ajpotts.fsnet.co.uk/links.html Not a bad site with lots of info.

Regards

Phil

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>Reply-To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
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205. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Cable needed...

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-11-24 23:20:05 UTC
From: Tony Fendall
Topic: 197 Message: 205

Hi All,
Can I say that as Iain has provided us with some working software for those that could not get the Alinco software to work, the least we can do is to buy our cables from him.
www.m0vpe.co.uk
Regards
Tony

-----Original Message-----
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
[mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com]On Behalf Of Philip Taylor
Sent: 24 November 2005 22:58
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Cable needed...

Thanks for the feedback Bob, will have to see what change Father Christmas leaves me and treat myself.

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Regards

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Yahoo! Groups Links

206. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Cable needed...

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-11-24 23:53:36 UTC
From: Philip Taylor
Topic: 197 Message: 206

I couldn't agree with Tony more except I think people were having problems with the web address that Tony put up and couldn't find the web site so to clear things up here it is posted as a web link http://www.m0vpe.co.uk/

Once on the site click on Products where you will find the ALINCO Programming Interface Cable priced at ?16.99 (UK P&P ?2.00) payable by UK Bank Cheque, Direct Bank Transfer, Postal Order or through paypal.

best regards

Phil

>From: "Tony Fendall" <tony@...>
>Reply-To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
>To: <alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com>
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207. New Member

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-11-28 22:43:40 UTC
From: Andrew
Topic: 207 Message: 207

After deciding I wanted a new wideband receiver and doing some homework on the different models available, my new DJ-X3 should be arriving at the door sometime Wednesday. I look forward to sharing tips and info with everyone here. I hope the UPS guy knows he'll get tackled walking up to my front door this week...

Andy

208. Finally Got It!

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-12-01 22:53:49 UTC
From: Andrew
Topic: 208 Message: 208

The UPS carrier dropped off my new DJ-X3 at the door yesterday, and it has barely left my grubby mitts since. I'm still learning all the fine details, but really enjoy it. I am having a problem getting the "bug sniffer" to activate. Is there something I'm missing?

209. New file uploaded to alinco-dj-x3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-12-02 15:49:43 UTC
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 11 Message: 209

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the alinco-dj-x3
group.

File : /DJ-X3 MMU/DJ-X3MMU.zip
Uploaded by : istirzak <iain@...>
Description : DJ-X3 Memory Management Utility v1.1

You can access this file at the URL:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/files/DJ-X3%20MMU/DJ-X3MMU.zip

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
http://help.yahoo.com/help/us/groups/files

Regards,

istirzak <iain@...>

210. DJ-X3 Memory Management Utility v1.1

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-12-02 15:55:18 UTC
From: IAIN - MØVPE
Topic: 210 Message: 210

I've uploaded a new version of the MMU into the files section.

Changes:

Program Scan functionality implemented.

Auto Step implemented. However, auto step state is NOT saved to .ser file at the moment :(

Skip can be set from the main grid as well as the Program Channel dialog box.

THE .SER FILE IS NOT COMPATIBLE WITH THE OLD VERSION.

Cheers,
Iain
www.m0vpe.co.uk

211. Re: Cable needed...

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-12-06 18:52:58 UTC
From: Mohd H Misnan
Topic: 197 Message: 211

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Philip Taylor" <incywincy3@h...>
wrote:
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Available from ebay at cheaper price and sold by the same company too.
Thinking of getting one, did tried to assemble my own cable but
couldn't make it to work.

212. hi, am new here.

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-12-10 15:28:39 UTC
From: yarliv
Topic: 212 Message: 212

my name is yaron and i buy dj-x3 e ,two weeks ago.
it is a second hand and working great.
i download user guide from the net, and now i am using the dj with
out the guide.
i like to ask some question:

1 why i have to go out to receive good? i have whip antenna.

2 what antenna i need to recive better?

3 is there a software that can decode encoded trunking that i can
connect my sccaner to the computer from the earphone to my computer
sound card?

4 i work hard to get frequency.and scanning and finding is not so
easy
,any tips will be welcome.

thanks
yaron/

213. DJ-X3 download help needed

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-12-10 19:34:26 UTC
From: kernsd2001
Topic: 213 Message: 213

Greetings,

I bought a cable from the online source discussed a week or so ago.

Using the Alinco utility I can read from the radio, but when I try to download to it I get a communications error. Sometimes 8 sometimes 1.

What do I do to get it to work?

(I also tried the Java app in the files section. Same behavior. Do I have a bad cable?)

-Donald

214. Re: DJ-X3 download help needed

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-12-10 19:59:52 UTC
From: IAIN - MØVPE
Topic: 213 Message: 214

What error do you get when using my DJ-X3MMU app?

I would imagine your cable is ok because reading the settings uses
both read and write i.e. the software asks for one channel of data at
a time and the receiver responds with a channel.

Iain

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215. Re: hi, am new here.

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-12-10 22:19:38 UTC
From: yarliv
Topic: 212 Message: 215

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--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "yarliv" <yaron1958@0...> wrote:
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> yaron.

216. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] hi, am new here.

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-12-10 23:53:05 UTC
From: Philip Taylor
Topic: 212 Message: 216

Yaron, I'm just going to try and help you out with your first two questions.

1 why i have to go out to receive good? i have whip antenna.

2 what antenna i need to recive better?

The Radio Scanner and its Antenna.

* Your scanner is only as good as its weakest link and that's your antenna however, there is much you can do to get the best from it.
* For the most part, an antenna's ability to receive a given frequency is dependent on the length of that antenna as every frequency needs a different length. Since your antenna is fixed in length, you can see how it is not the most efficient for receiving a wide range of frequencies. This is in direct conflict with the objective of the modern radio scanner whose job is to receive transmissions on a very wide range of frequencies.
* For a handheld scanner, the antenna that usually comes with it is a coiled piece of wire covered in a plastic or rubber coating and is affectionately referred to as a 'rubber duck' or 'duckie'. Since this antenna is a constant length, it will receive some frequencies much better than others.
* The best solution for a good portable antenna is an extendable whip antenna (similar to those found on your typical AM/FM boombox or car powered antenna) which can be lengthened or shortened to help match its length to a desired frequency range. In some situations, a whip antenna might be prohibitive, in which case a multi-band (wide band) antenna might be best.
* The reason why your antenna performs better outdoors than in is because of obstacles such as buildings, trees and hills that block the signals. One golden rule to remember is that the higher the antenna the better the signal and it will always perform better if your Antenna is in an open space rather than an enclosed space. This is because the higher you go the more open the space is and the fewer the obstacles the signal you are trying to receive will encounter. Also remember that an antenna performs best on a line of sight principle, it works the same way as if you were shouting to someone across the street, stand a 6 foot wall between you and them they will have trouble hearing you. This is why most radio transmitters are placed on hill top sites over looking towns and villages.
* A whip antenna is designed for mobility and will never give you the same performance as a home base antenna. I would suggest that anyone who wishes to take up radio scanning from home seriously buys themselves a wide band home base antenna. For the Alinco DJ-X3 a good home base antenna would be something like a ScanKing SuperScan Vertical Base Antenna which is a low profile aerial and which has a frequency range of 0.05-2000 Mhz covering the complete range of the DJ-X3. Another type of scanner to look at and is very popular with the home user is the Discone which comes in a number of shapes and forms and covers different frequency ranges however they do tend to

stand out like a sore thumb.

Well Yaron I hope this gives you a little insight and helps you get the best out of your Scanner.

Kind Regards and happy scanning.

Phil

From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of yarliv
Sent: 10 December 2005 15:29
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
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YAHOO! GROUPS LINKS

* Visit your group "alinco-dj-x3
<http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3> " on the web.

* To unsubscribe from this group, send an email to:
alinco-dj-x3-unsubscribe@yahoogroups.com
<mailto:alinco-dj-x3-unsubscribe@yahoogroups.com?subject=Unsubscribe>

* Your use of Yahoo! Groups is subject to the Yahoo!
<http://docs.yahoo.com/info/terms/> Terms of Service.

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217. thanks Philip for your explanation. now i connected the dj-x3 to my computer

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-12-11 00:23:01 UTC
From: yarliv
Topic: 217 Message: 217

from the earphone to the sound card.
and download software pdw 1.10 from the internet.
and the The signal indicator moving 'but i did not succeed to find the
right frequency.i will get the frequency and try again.
thanks again.
yaron.

218. Re: DJ-X3 download help needed

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-12-11 16:39:03 UTC
From: kernsd2001
Topic: 213 Message: 218

In starting up I get com ports 1-4 available.

Under the Radio menu, the read, write and coms setup are greyed out.

I am able to successfully perform a partial reset, with the word "Pass
" appearing on the radio.

(Yes, I started with the radio in clone mode, the cable is on COM 1).

When I do a right click from the grid, I can do a upload to the PC.

Also a download.

OK, seems to be working this morning... wonder what's up...

Comments:
Really need to be able to enter frequencies into the grid rather than
one at a time via the "program channels".

-Donald

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, IAIN - MØVPE <iain@m...> wrote:
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> What error do you get when using my DJ-X3MMU app?
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> I would imagine your cable is ok because reading the settings uses
> both read and write i.e. the software asks for one channel of data at
> a time and the receiver responds with a channel.
>
> Iain
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> --- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "kernsd2001" <dkerns@c...> wrote:
> >
> > Greetings,
> >
> > I bought a cable from the online source discussed a week or so ago.
> >
> > Using the Alinco utility I can read from the radio, but when I try to
> > download to it I get a communications error. Sometimes 8 sometimes 1.
> >
> > What do I do to get it to work?
> >
> > (I also tried the Java app in the files section. Same behavior. Do I
> > have a bad cable?)

> >
> > -Donald
> >
>

219. help please

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-12-11 17:35:30 UTC
From: yarliv
Topic: 219 Message: 219

hello all my good friends.

1 i need this file: "Hebrew FIXED PITCH fonts " installed for this to work.

for the pdw 1.24.

this file fix a bug in the font' and now all i see is this *&^%$#%$#.

2 i try today the poc32 and the indicator show a recive signal'but no messages shown.

the help file in germany'i need an english one.

3 can you recommend me another software that do the job,and fit my dj-x3 earphone to the sound card?

thanks' thanks.

yaron.

220. Re: DJ-X3 download help needed

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-12-11 18:43:53 UTC
From: IAIN - MØVPE
Topic: 213 Message: 220

Thanks for the feedback. The Partial/Full reset issue should have
been fixed in the latest version in the files section (1.10.01).

I've got a version that allows entry directly in the grid, I'll
probably release it soon.

Iain

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "kernsd2001" <dkerns@c...>
wrote:
>
> In starting up I get com ports 1-4 available.
>
> Under the Radio menu, the read, write and coms setup are greyed
out.
>
> I am able to successfully perform a partial reset, with the
word "Pass
> " appearing on the radio.
>
> (Yes, I started with the radio in clone mode, the cable is on COM
1).
>
> When I do a right click from the grid, I can do a upload to the PC.
>
> Also a download.
>
> OK, seems to be working this morning... wonder what's up...
>
> Comments:
> Really need to be able to enter frequencies into the grid rather
than
> one at a time via the "program channels".
>
> -Donald
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> > a time and the receiver responds with a channel.
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> > > download to it I get a communications error. Sometimes 8
sometimes 1.
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> > > (I also tried the Java app in the files section. Same
behavior. Do I
> > > have a bad cable?)
> > >
> > > -Donald
> > >
> >
>

221. poc32 and ac97 sound card and more.

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-12-16 06:09:33 UTC
From: yarliv
Topic: 221 Message: 221

hello.
poc32 and ac97 sound card.
can you help me make them work ?

do you know where can i find english doc for poc32.
i am using now the pdw 2.13 with elronet monospace font.but still most
of the messages not shown well.

and last:please recommend me a good earphone sound card decoeing
sofware for xp.
thanks and p l e a s e answer.i am new with all the ham stuff and i am
groping in the dark.
yaron.

222. New file uploaded to alinco-dj-x3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-12-17 10:40:05 UTC
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 11 Message: 222

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the alinco-dj-x3
group.

File : /DJ-X3 MMU/DJ-X3MMU.zip
Uploaded by : istirzak <iain@...>
Description : DJ-X3 Memory Management Utility v1.2

You can access this file at the URL:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/files/DJ-X3%20MMU/DJ-X3MMU.zip

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
http://help.yahoo.com/help/us/groups/files

Regards,

istirzak <iain@...>

223. DJ-X3 Memory Management Utility v1.2

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-12-17 10:43:20 UTC
From: IAIN - MØVPE
Topic: 223 Message: 223

Now has in-grid editing for Memory Bank channels...

Merry Christmas,
Iain - m0vpe

224. Re: DJ-X3 Memory Management Utility v1.2

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-12-19 12:47:58 UTC
From: Andrew
Topic: 223 Message: 224

Thanks so much for all the hard work! Now that I have my X3, I need to get off my keister and get a cable to be able to use your program....

Andy

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, IAIN - MØVPE <iain@m...> wrote:
>
>
> Now has in-grid editing for Memory Bank channels...
>
> Merry Christmas,
> Iain - m0vpe
>

225. The X files - digit disappearing

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-12-24 19:27:17 UTC
From: januszprzewlocki
Topic: 225 Message: 225

Hello!
Did somebody have problem with cloning like that:
When I transferred data from computer to DJX3 everything looks OK.
Then I discovered that every programmed frequencies are incorrect ☐
instead of 146,500 MHz Alinco has 14,500; instead of 566,500 there was
56,500. The last of MHz characteristic disappeared! Additionally, if I
want to transfer data from Alinco to computer the software die. Other
operations (for example volume level, turn off/on antennas etc) are
transferred OK.
What should I to do? Do I need some new software for COMM ports or
something like that, or should I start to program Alinco manually ?
My soft / equipment ☐ Clone Utility 1.3.2 , Win ME, ERW4 (home made),.
Thanks in advice
Janusz

226. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] The X files - digit disappearing

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-12-24 20:02:39 UTC
From: mike@cbtinc.net
Topic: 225 Message: 226

There is a newer software version that fixes this. I either upload or send link later today.

Mike

-----Original Message-----
Hello!
Did somebody have problem with cloning like that:
When I transferred data from computer to DJX3 everything looks OK.
Then I discovered that every programmed frequencies are incorrect - instead of 146,500 MHz Alinco has 14,500; instead of 566,500 there was 56,500. The last of MHz characteristic disappeared! Additionally, if I want to transfer data from Alinco to computer the software die. Other operations (for example volume level, turn off/on antennas etc) are transferred OK.
What should I to do? Do I need some new software for COMM ports or something like that, or should I start to program Alinco manually ?
My soft / equipment - Clone Utility 1.3.2 , Win ME, ERW4 (home made),.
Thanks in advice
Janusz

227. New file uploaded to alinco-dj-x3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-12-25 01:49:17 UTC
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 11 Message: 227

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the alinco-dj-x3
group.

File : /DJ-X3_Upd_1.3.5.zip
Uploaded by : smrf17 <mike@...>
Description : Updated Alinco Software Version 1.3.5, requires Alinco copy installed first

You can access this file at the URL:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/files/DJ-X3_Upd_1.3.5.zip

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
http://help.yahoo.com/help/us/groups/files

Regards,

smrf17 <mike@...>

228. Re: The X files - digit disappearing

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-12-25 20:02:01 UTC
From: januszprzewlocki
Topic: 225 Message: 228

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, <mike@c...> wrote:
>
> There is a newer software version that fixes this. I either upload
or send
> link later today.
>
> Mike
>
> -----Original Message-----
> Hello!
> Did somebody have problem with cloning like that:
> When I transferred data from computer to DJX3 everything looks OK.
> Then I discovered that every programmed frequencies are incorrect -
> instead of 146,500 MHz Alinco has 14,500; instead of 566,500 there
was
> 56,500. The last of MHz characteristic disappeared! Additionally,
if I
> want to transfer data from Alinco to computer the software die.
Other
> operations (for example volume level, turn off/on antennas etc) are
> transferred OK.
> What should I to do? Do I need some new software for COMM ports or
> something like that, or should I start to program Alinco manually ?
> My soft / equipment - Clone Utility 1.3.2 , Win ME, ERW4 (home
made),.
> Thanks in advice
> Janusz
>

Hello again!
New DJ-X3 Clone Utility version work very well! Here is no problem
with manage my DJX3 :o)
Thanks

229. cable,software,and happy new year.

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2005-12-30 16:21:13 UTC
From: yarliv
Topic: 229 Message: 229

happy new year.

for what purpose cable between the dj and the pc needed.

is it only to manage the memory?

can it be use for ham dx software?

can someone show me picture and scheme with instruction how to made it?

and last'i ask before butnoone answer:what software you recommendation
to use the dj x3 earphone to the sound card?
thanks.
yaron.

231. poor battery life.

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-01-02 08:57:53 UTC
From: Alan--M3LSX
Topic: 231 Message: 231

Firstly. Hello everyone, I'm a new member. My name is Alan I have been using scanners for years & have owned a alinco for about 2-3 years.
Is it just me or does the alinco use battery charge at an alarming rate ? Mine lasts for little more than an hours use per charge.
I have two other scanners that I use regularly, plus a multi band VHF/UHF tcvr that also has a inbuilt scanner, & not even the tcvr uses battery charge like the alinco.
is there any fix or is it just a fact of life with the alinco ?.

232. Re: cable,software,and happy new year.

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-01-02 13:03:58 UTC
From: P@
Topic: 229 Message: 232

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "yarliv" <yaron1958@0...> wrote:
>
> happy new year.
>
> for what purpose cable between the dj and the pc needed.
>
> is it only to manage the memory?
>
> can it be use for ham dx software?
>
> can someone show me picture and scheme with instruction how to made
it?
>
> and last'i ask before butnoone answer:what software you
recommendation
> to use the dj x3 earphone to the sound card?
> thanks.
> yaron.
>

Hi Yaron
new years greetings

pictures and schematics (and a picture guide I did)are all in the
files section,and has been for a long time:)
Ive just put a link in the links section for scanpromauk,a yahoo
scanning group with a selection of software in their files section
that should let you decode most things you may recive including
weather satallites (now theres a test for an antenna) and pagers.

have fun
P@

233. Re: cable,software,and happy new year.

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-01-02 15:09:54 UTC
From: yarliv
Topic: 229 Message: 233

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--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "P@" <UGGUMPH@Y...> wrote:
>
> --- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "yarliv" <yaron1958@0...>
wrote:
> >
> > happy new year.
> >
> > for what purpose cable between the dj and the pc needed.
> >
> > is it only to manage the memory?
> >
> > can it be use for ham dx software?
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> that should let you decode most things you may recive including
> weather satallites (now theres a test for an antenna) and pagers.
>
> have fun
> P@
>

thank you P@.
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235. Hy, I´m The New One. Hallo, Ich bin der Neue, heute :-)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-01-09 20:34:43 UTC
From: wbvertrieb
Topic: 235 Message: 235

So, would like me to times briefly present. My name is Sven and I possesses the DJ-X3 already nearly one year. Now I would like to give the part a Tuning. Are therefore on the search for all information, which I can get. As tip for a good antenna, I can recommend a television aerial to broadband. Thus I made up to now very good experiences. There are such antennas already in such a way around the 20 euro. The frequency range from 40 to 860 MHz is already gigantic. The receipt also. I write times still more shortly. Up to then I wish a good receipt.

So, möchte mich mal kurz vorstellen.
Mein Name ist Sven und ich besitze den DJ-X3 schon fast ein Jahr. Nun möchte ich dem Teil ein Tuning verpassen. Bin daher auf der Suche nach allen Infos, die ich bekommen kann.

Als Tip für eine gute Antenne, kann ich eine Breitband Fernsehantenne empfehlen. Damit habe ich bis jetzt sehr gute Erfahrungen gemacht. Solche Antennen gibt es ja schon so um die 20 Euro. Der Frequenzbereich von 40 bis 860 MHz ist schon gigantisch. Der Empfang auch.
Demnächst schreibe ich mal noch mehr.
Bis dahin wünsche ich einen guten Empfang.

236. New file uploaded to alinco-dj-x3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-01-13 13:03:05 UTC
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 11 Message: 236

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the alinco-dj-x3
group.

File : /DJ-X3 MMU/DJ-X3MMU.zip
Uploaded by : istirzak <iain@...>
Description : DJ-X3 Memory Manager v1.3

You can access this file at the URL:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/files/DJ-X3%20MMU/DJ-X3MMU.zip

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
http://help.yahoo.com/help/us/groups/files

Regards,

istirzak <iain@...>

237. DJ-X3 Memory Manager v1.3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-01-13 13:15:20 UTC
From: Iain
Topic: 237 Message: 237

HNY all,

I've uploaded a new version which includes a Search Pass and a few other minor tweaks. Old .ser files are not compatible with this version.

In the next few weeks, I'll be adding a live XML Web Services feed from the Radio Reference website database: http://radioreference.com/

Additionally, I'll be adding the ability to save/load all memory channel data out to an MS Excel workbook i.e. each memory function will be editable in its own worksheet. This should make data manipulation far easier.

Cheers,
Iain - m0vpe

238. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] DJ-X3 Memory Manager v1.3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-01-13 17:41:11 UTC
From: Tony Fendall
Topic: 237 Message: 238

HNY Iain,
This is great news. Let me know if you want any beta testing done.
Regards
Tony

-----Original Message-----
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
[mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com]On Behalf Of Iain
Sent: 13 January 2006 13:15
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] DJ-X3 Memory Manager v1.3

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other minor tweaks. Old .ser files are not compatible with this
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Additionally, I'll be adding the ability to save/load all memory
channel data out to an MS Excel workbook i.e. each memory function
will be editable in its own worksheet. This should make data
manipulation far easier.

Cheers,
Iain - m0vpe

Yahoo! Groups Links

239. where is the best price?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-01-15 15:00:39 UTC
From: whassupfun
Topic: 239 Message: 239

hello i'm french so please excuse me by advance for my english.
i'm new here and i'd like you to help me.
if anybody could tell me where i can find a X3 at the lowest price.
if someone sell his own X3 i should also be interested.

many thanks to peoples could help me
Steve

243. Re: where is the best price?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-01-20 21:28:34 UTC
From: januszprzewlocki
Topic: 239 Message: 243

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "whassupfun" <whassup69@c...>
wrote:
>
> hello i'm french so please excuse me by advance for my english.
> i'm new here and i'd like you to help me.
> if anybody could tell me where i can find a X3 at the lowest price.
> if someone sell his own X3 i should also be interested.
>
> many thanks to peoples could help me
> Steve
>

Hello
Try on www.boger.de
96 EUR / pc + porto
I've bought there my X3 - it's cheaper half time than in my country
(Poland).

or on www.thiecom.de - there is nice price too

Janusz

248. Re: where is the best price?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-02-16 18:41:27 UTC
From: whassupfun
Topic: 239 Message: 248

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--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "januszprzewlocki"
<januszprzewlocki@...> wrote:
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> --- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "whassupfun" <whassup69@c...>
> wrote:
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> > hello i'm french so please excuse me by advance for my english.
> > i'm new here and i'd like you to help me.
> > if anybody could tell me where i can find a X3 at the lowest price.
> > if someone sell his own X3 i should also be interested.
> >
> > many thanks to peoples could help me
> > Steve
> >
>
> Hello
> Try on www.boger.de
> 96 EUR / pc + porto
> I've bought there my X3 - it's cheaper half time than in my country
> (Poland).
>
> or on www.thiecom.de - there is nice price too
>
> Janusz
>

Thank you
i find one on Ebay for 100euro.
thanks
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249. light troubles!!!

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-02-16 19:09:31 UTC
From: whassupfun
Topic: 249 Message: 249

i have received my DJX3 and i think i got a problem with the blue light.

When i insert batery le blue light is on even if the DJX3 is not on.
i must remove the batery to turn of the blue light.

does anybody got the same problem, does anybody got an idea to solve
this problem.
thanks
Steve

250. Discriminator

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-02-18 22:50:47 UTC
From: netspyder0
Topic: 250 Message: 250

Hy all, I'm new here in this group.
My name is Mario, and I live in Amsterdam, the Netherlands.
I was wondering if someone has made a discriminator out in the X3.
I have the complete service manual, and found the ic where i have to
connect a 4 level fsk modem.
But, I think it's not possible to do, because all the parts are so
small ;-(
Maybe you have good advice for me?
Many thx, and greets from Holland!

251. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Discriminator

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-02-19 04:35:29 UTC
From: JRC
Topic: 250 Message: 251

Hi Mario,
well yes it is actually possible to tap the discriminator output from the DJX3, but it is also *very* difficult!
I managed to carry out this mod on my own x3 a while ago and was intending to put together a small website with 'step by step' pics & instructions but as usual work and general apathy got in the way.
from memory (never that reliable but..) you want to take the tap from pin 12of IC6 (TK10931)
You'll need a very steady hand and some flexible wire.
The only real advice i could give would be to go very slow and carefully, use a magnifying lens & and the finest soldering iron tip you have, if you've never tried SMT/SMD (surface mount) soldering before it's really best to practice on some old circuit boards before playing with the expensive stuff!
If someone can recommend a reliable free webhosting service i'll scrounge up a digital camera and post some pics and a description of how i went about it. Should probably point out that my mod was carried out after a bit of research and a *lot* of guesswork, so please don't blame me if you kill your scanner!
Best of luck
Joe
----- Original Message -----
From: "netspyder0" <netspyder0@...>

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> My name is Mario, and I live in Amsterdam, the Netherlands.
> I was wondering if someone has made a discriminator out in the X3.
> I have the complete service manual, and found the ic where i have to
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> Many thx, and greets from Holland!
>

Yahoo! Messenger - NEW crystal clear PC to PC calling worldwide with voicemail
http://uk.messenger.yahoo.com

252. Re: Discriminator

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-02-19 19:54:14 UTC
From: netspyder0
Topic: 250 Message: 252

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "JRC" <superfluous_id@...> wrote:
Thanks for the reply!
In the past I modified a lot of psx1 consoles, but that's it.
Maybe i can arrange a website for you, so you can share your pics with
others.
I have a Linux server running, so I can add you as a user with your
own webspace.
Tell me if you are interested!

Greetz, Mario

> Hi Mario,
> well yes it is actually possible to tap the discriminator output
from the
> DJX3, but it is also *very* difficult!
> I managed to carry out this mod on my own x3 a while ago and was
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about
> it. Should probably point out that my mod was carried out after a bit of
> research and a *lot* of guesswork, so please don't blame me if you
kill your
> scanner!
> Best of luck
> Joe
> ----- Original Message -----
> From: "netspyder0" <netspyder0@...>
>
>

> > Hy all, I'm new here in this group.
> > My name is Mario, and I live in Amsterdam, the Netherlands.
> > I was wondering if someone has made a discriminator out in the X3.
> > I have the complete service manual, and found the ic where i have to
> > connect a 4 level fsk modem.
> > But, I think it's not possible to do, because all the parts are so
> > small ;-(
> > Maybe you have good advice for me?
> > Many thx, and greets from Holland!
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> _____
> Yahoo! Messenger - NEW crystal clear PC to PC calling worldwide with
voicemail http://uk.messenger.yahoo.com
>

253. New file uploaded to alinco-dj-x3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-02-22 08:51:35 UTC
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 11 Message: 253

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the alinco-dj-x3
group.

File : /Alinco_DJ-X3_Manual.pdf
Uploaded by : rmmlourenco <rmmlourenco@...>
Description : This is the manual submited by Markus Baertschi, but i converted it to PDF

You can access this file at the URL:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/files/Alinco_DJ-X3_Manual.pdf

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
http://help.yahoo.com/help/us/groups/files

Regards,

rmmlourenco <rmmlourenco@...>

255. Re: poc32 and ac97 sound card and more.

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-03-25 20:15:29 UTC
From: judge_teddy
Topic: 221 Message: 255

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "yarliv" <yaron1958@...> wrote:
>
> hello.
> poc32 and ac97 sound card.
> can you help me make them work ?
>
> do you know where can i find english doc for poc32.
> i am using now the pdw 2.13 with elronet monospace font.but still
most
> of the messages not shown well.
>
> and last:please recommend me a good earphone sound card decoeing
> sofware for xp.
> thanks and p l e a s e answer.i am new with all the ham stuff and
i am
> groping in the dark.
> yaron.
>

have you taped your discrimnator ?

if you havent then thats the source of your problem

i use exactly the same setup (ac97 and poc32)

using the earphone jack on any scanner usualy gives poor results

due to the band pass in the audio amplifier clipping the high
frequencys off the signal

the best method is to take the audio staight from the discrimnator
chip (tk10931v) pin 12

soldering onto the pin will be immposible thoe so what i did was to
use the pin and the pads of the two resistors that are next to it

you will find they are both connected to the pin by a L shaped track
on the circuit board

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256. For Sale

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-03-31 19:30:52 UTC
From: griffithsdave
Topic: 256 Message: 256

I have my scanner for sale on Ebay :

http://cgi.ebay.co.uk/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=9704155629&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Ends Sun 19:00

DG

257. Intro: New Member

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-04-07 18:34:09 UTC
From: Ian Crane
Topic: 257 Message: 257

Hello - I am Ian and I have just bought a good second-hand DJ-X3, mainly for airband listening. I had a scanner many years ago but it didn't cover UHF. As I live close to Lakenheath/Mildenhall I am interested in picking up some of the military stuff so this seemed like a good model to get. Probably can't contribute much as I am learning but will help if I can.

Regards
Ian C

258. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Intro: New Member

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-04-07 21:48:24 UTC
From: Raymond McKeever
Topic: 257 Message: 258

Hello Ian...

I am also setting up a x3 for uhf airband listening. Welcome too the list!! I am learning too...Take care

Ray McKeever...KB4OMO in Longwood, Florida

Ian Crane <imcrane@...> wrote:
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Regards
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259. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Intro: New Member

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-04-08 14:43:22 UTC
From: Jan van Dinteren
Topic: 257 Message: 259

Here some frequencies to get started:

AIRPORT/FACILITY DIRECTORY B-295
COMMUNICATIONS - PTD - 131.975 308.85 ATIS - 277.075
LAKENHEATH APP - (R) (E) 136.5 309.2 (MATZ 128.9 242.05) CAC - Call LONDON
MIL
(R) (E) 299.975 REMARKS: -Crossing acft ctc LONDON MIL or LAKENHEATH APP CON
5
min or 20 NM before entering or leaving MATZ bdry. Acft ldg at MILDENHALL
ctc
LONDON MIL or LAKENHEATH APP 5 min or 20NM before MATZ bdry. TWR - (E)
122.55
389.4 (Do not ctc Mildenhall TWR on VHF for wx info byd 50NM.) GND - 121.675
337.975 LAKENHEATH DEP - (No lost com or clnc limit provided on dep; No com
ctc til
airborne.) (R) (E) 250.0 100 ARW COMD POST - 278.925 PMSV METRO - 284.425
REMARKS: Full obsn, PMSV, and wx radar svc avbl H24. Fcst svc avbl 0600Z++ -
2000Z++
wkd. OT remote briefing svc avbl fr 21 OWS DSN 496-6145/6146 or
C011-49-6302-67-6145/6146. AMC AIRLIFT AMCC - 131.975 234.0

Good Luck!
Jan

> -----Oorspronkelijk bericht-----
> Van: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
> [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com]namens Ian Crane
> Verzonden: vrijdag 7 april 2006 19:34
> Aan: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
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260. New member

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-04-13 13:16:27 UTC
From: Louis
Topic: 260 Message: 260

Hi,

My name is Louis and I am residing in South Africa. My passion in life is radio controlled aircraft and I bought an Alinco DJ-X3 in order to verify that there is no interference on my radio's frequency.

Searching through the 'Net to get a cable schematic I now discovered that this little unit can open up a whole world of magic to me. I am now on a steep learning curve and this group certainly contains a wealth of info. Thanks to all members from my side.

Regards
Louis

266. Moderators, restricting group membership

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-05-15 13:26:33 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 266 Message: 266

Hi all,

I'm contemplating to require new members of this group to require
moderator approval to reduce spam in the group. At the same time
I'd like to get some of you on board as a moderator. The main job
of a moderator is to ban spamming members and delete the spams.

Could you comment on moderator approval and maybe even
volunteer for moderator responsibility ?

Markus

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Markus Baertschi Phone: ++41 (21) 807 1677
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Switzerland Homepage: www.markus.org

267. Alinco step dial between 97Mhz and 108Mhz

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-05-16 18:13:57 UTC
From: solixo2004
Topic: 267 Message: 267

Hi!

I've just bought an Alinco DJ-x3e, and I have a newbie question :)

When I have the frequency step in Auto, around 97Mhz and 108Mhz it jumps in 6MHz steps not 0.05 steps on other band ranges. I have to change the step configuration from Auto to some value to be able to use these bands.

Any ideas?

268. Re: Alinco step dial between 97Mhz and 108Mhz

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-05-17 09:16:32 UTC
From: solixo2004
Topic: 267 Message: 268

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "solixo2004" <solixo2004@...> wrote:
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> Hi!
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> I've just bought an Alinco DJ-x3e, and I have a newbie question :)
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> jumps in 6MHz steps not 0.05 steps on other band ranges. I have to
> change the step configuration from Auto to some value to be able to
> use these bands.
>
> Any ideas?
>

If found a previous post, and this behaviour is by design...

269. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Alinco step dial between 97Mhz and 108Mhz

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-05-17 20:11:39 UTC
From: James Ewer
Topic: 267 Message: 269

I got rid of my "J" model for the very same reason plus the 9KHZ spacing on AM. As far as I know it cannot be changed. I have the US version and I like it a lot. The band plan for continent to continent is different and Alinco thinks that they must program accordingly. Post if you hear any differently!

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270. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Alinco step dial between 97Mhz and 108Mhz

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-05-18 16:46:04 UTC
From: Conta SoLixo
Topic: 267 Message: 270

Hi!

The step can be changed on the settings menu: Function Key->Moni Key. Then you can change the step.

My problem was when the step is in AUTO it jumps 6MHz on some frequency ranges, namely between 97Mhz and 108Mhz. But if changing the step from AUTO to say .5 it works ok.

James Ewer <ewerj@...> wrote: I got rid of my "J" model for the very same reason plus the 9KHZ spacing on AM. As far as I know it cannot be changed. I have the US version and I like it a lot. The band plan for continent to continent is different and Alinco thinks that they must program accordingly. Post if you hear any differently!

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271. Re: Moderators, restricting group membership

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-05-26 11:27:24 UTC
From: P@
Topic: 266 Message: 271

Yes I think some sort of moderation would be a good idea,as it would be a shame if we got overrun with the spammy stuff,been there done that,and it got so bad we all had to move.

Pat

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Markus Baertschi <markus@...> wrote:
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> Hi all,
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> Switzerland Homepage: www.markus.org
>

272. Mil Air

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-06-15 05:28:37 UTC
From: kb4omo
Topic: 272 Message: 272

Hello,

I was wondering if anyone was using the DJ-X3 for Mil-Air listening
225 - 380 mghz range both aircraft or satcom. Any comments?
Thanks..Ray KB4OMO

273. Re: Cable needed...

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-06-16 19:27:14 UTC
From: a_j_k_uk
Topic: 197 Message: 273

I know I'm resurrecting a rather old thread, but...
I have just bought one of the DM232 cables from the G4ZLP site and I cannot fault it!
The build quality is good, very neat and even comes with a metal 3.5mm jack instead of a cheap plastic one.
It works with all the DJ-X3 software I've come across and also works with my Yaesu VX-1R + programming software.
For £9.99 + postage (£1.50) it was certainly worth buying.

Delivery was pretty swift too. I ordered it Tuesday night and it came on the Thursday morning.

Andy

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Philip Taylor" <incywincy3@...> wrote:
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> I found this link the other day from a UK supplier and it is cheaper than
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> maybe they could let us know what they are like.
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> http://g4zlp.co.uk/UKPages/Programming%20Interfaces/5BPage.htm
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> Phil
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> >From: "Tony" <tony@...>
> >Reply-To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
> >To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
> >Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Cable needed...
> >Date: Mon, 21 Nov 2005 18:57:10 -0000
> >
> >Hi J-W,
> >I have bought the 'official' Alinco cable and a cable from
> >www.mOvpe.co.uk.
> >The Alinco is rather poor quality in all respects and twice the price
> >of the mOvpe cable, which works fine now with my system.
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> > > Any help would be appreciated.
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> > > -JW
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274. Re: Mil Air

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-07-09 14:58:12 UTC
From: rich
Topic: 272 Message: 274

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "kb4omo" <kb4omo@...> wrote:
>
> Hello,
>
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hi i use my dj-x3 to listen to miltary aircraft when on holiday at
wells next to the sea norfolk usaf and raf very clear signals and some
interesting conversations between pilots,very busy during the week but
nothing over weekends,i have some freq if needed

275. Re: Mil Air

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-07-09 14:57:24 UTC
From: rich
Topic: 272 Message: 275

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nothing over weekends,i have some freq if needed

276. Re: Cable needed...

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-07-17 07:42:19 UTC
From: large_pig_uk
Topic: 197 Message: 276

Thanks for resurecting it, I would never have seen the thread. I have
now bought one of these and it works perfect :)

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "a_j_k_uk" <andy_k121@...> wrote:
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277. Too many birdies? [newbie]

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-07-26 13:00:24 UTC
From: Gergely Takacs (SjF STU)
Topic: 277 Message: 277
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

[Attachment content not displayed]

278. Re: Too many birdies? [newbie]

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-07-27 11:30:11 UTC
From: Paul Taylor
Topic: 277 Message: 278

Ah, very interesting - I've been doing the same thing this week.

I think fifty birdies is a lot, but not for a scanner in the DJ-X3's price range. Unfortunately my finances are not up to getting one of the more advanced Uniden models, but in the end, if you've saved just a dollar or two for every birdie you had to lock out, then you can figure out how much more you might have had to spend to avoid that inconvenience.

Of course it's mighty annoying if the birdy happens to sit on an exact frequency you wanted to hear. I suppose in that case you'd have to adjust the step value slightly, and accept that you were listening to it slightly de-tuned. This has not yet occurred for me though.

As for the transmitters sending out silence - I've found a number of explanations for this. Once I picked up a very strong signal when visiting a friend. It was clearly just silence, but moving the scanner around made the signal strength vary slightly, and I lost it without the antenna, so I knew it wasn't a birdie. It turned out to be a wireless doorbell that my friend had installed in his house. I'm not sure whether it would have made a noise when someone sounded the bell!

I found another good strong silent transmission in the upper VHF band. At first I added it to a miscellaneous bank I have for unknown finds, but then got bored and locked it out. Days later, I selected that channel in the bank and discovered all sorts of chatter going on, which sounded like some kind of transport operation.

A friendly experienced ham at my radio club explained last week that many companies that have paid large sums for the use of a particular frequency will simply leave their transmitter engaged when not in use. Although it just transmits silence, it prevents other people pirating the frequency that they paid for (unless, I suppose, they have a stronger transmitter!).

I suppose other possibilities for the silent channels are that some kind of digital data is being sent, which would sound like high frequency audio but is being removed by the AF filtering of the DJ-X3.

Paul

279. Re: Too many birdies? [newbie]

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-07-27 12:54:09 UTC
From: Gav
Topic: 277 Message: 279

One thing with checking in this way is that removing the aerial in itself is not enough to 'isolate' the scanner from all the external RF buzzing around. Any strong transmissions can still be received, albeit at a much lower RF strength, which in most cases probably wont pass the audio, which may explain why you have found so many.

There are of course for many reasons, transmitters which always have the carrier transmitting, but with no audio. In most cases they are dotted over the full spectrum, and not all clumped together.

The way round this?

You have to either take the antennae off and scan in an RF 'dead' area, e.g. underground, or somewhere low down and surrounded by very thick concrete or stone. By doing this the stray RF will mostly be absorbed by the thickness of the material around you, and you can then scan for birdies, knowning there is less chance of picking up something other than the scanner itself.

The other method, is to disconnect the output, and 'terminate' it. This involves connecting a 50ohm terminator in place of the aerial. If you use an SMA-BNC adapter for a different antennae, then Use a 50ohm BNC terminator, which can be purchased on the net easily. This will effectively isolate the scanner, for more accurate results, when listening for birdies.

280. Re: Too many birdies? [newbie]

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-07-27 20:59:27 UTC
From: inspector36dd@wmconnect.com
Topic: 277 Message: 280

I too, have found many birdies...way more than you would expect to find. I have had many scanners and "broad band receivers" and this (dj-x3) has the worst case of the birdies. I suspect poor filtering was compromised for sensitivity, in conjunction with the compact circitry, limitations had to have been made...Otherwise, it is a neat scanner. ....Brian

281. Re: Mil Air

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-07-29 11:18:26 UTC
From: Christopher Gross
Topic: 272 Message: 281

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "kb4omo" <kb4omo@...> wrote:
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> Hello,
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> I was wondering if anyone was using the DJ-X3 for Mil-Air listening
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> Thanks..Ray KB4OMO
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Hello Ray,

I'm just getting into that-- I'm sort of working my way up from listening to satellites and the Space Station on the lower VHF band. I haven't heard any MilAir signals yet, but I've been able to pick up some military satellites using a very modest setup (either my old TV aerial or a random-wire antenna with a 10 db preamp). So far I haven't picked up any military traffic-- just a lot of voices yakking away in Portuguese (I understand that a lot of Brazilian radio pirates use these satellites to relay their own signals). Anyway, now that I know my Alinco (and my ICOM PCR-100) can pick them up I'm going to work on a more suitable antenna/amplifier combination. BTW, 255.550 seems to be especially active if you want to check it out...

Chris Gross

282. Re: Cable needed...

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-08-01 20:44:10 UTC
From: a_j_k_uk
Topic: 197 Message: 282

Glad to help [:)]
I'm getting tempted with the USB CAT interface now though [:-s]

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283. Re: Mil Air

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-08-11 06:37:20 UTC
From: kb4omo
Topic: 272 Message: 283

Thanks Rich,

I will try the Dj-x3 at Mil-air, not much input on this radio here in the States, so I was wondering how it did on these freqs. I thank you for the offer of freqs but will not be in the UK in the near future. If you ever come too Orlando Florida drop me aline and I can direct you too lots of freqs

All the Best ...Ray

PS I presume you are in the UK?

alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "rich" <rdg30uk@...> wrote:
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> --- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "kb4omo" <kb4omo@> wrote:
> >
> > Hello,
> >
> > I was wondering if anyone was using the DJ-X3 for Mil-Air listening
> > 225 - 380 mghz range both aircraft or satcom. Any comments?
> > Thanks..Ray KB4OMO
> >
> hi i use my dj-x3 to listen to miltary aircraft when on holiday at
> wells next to the sea norfolk usaf and raf very clear signals and some
> interesting conversations between pilots,very busy during the week but
> nothing over weekends,i have some freq if needed
>

284. Re: Mil Air

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-08-11 06:53:02 UTC
From: kb4omo
Topic: 272 Message: 284

Thanks Chris,

Your comments and those of Rich give me incentive too try the X-3 on different freqs. I bought as it was the most in-expensive communications pocket receiver. It doesn't seem to be used as heavily in the USA and not alot input on it in journals or magazines. I will have too try it out in new freq ranges. Have you checked out "Hearsat" on the web for satelite monitoring, also Radioreference.com has a forum devoted too space + sat comms. Popular Communications recently published an article on building your own yaggi antenna for 225-380 mghz. If you ever need Orlando Fla frequencies I can direct you too some great sites..

All the Best...Ray

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Christopher Gross" <cgross@...> wrote:
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> --- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "kb4omo" <kb4omo@> wrote:
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> Hello Ray,
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> I'm just getting into that-- I'm sort of working my way up from
> listening to satellites and the Space Station on the lower VHF band. I
> haven't heard any MilAir signals yet, but I've been able to pick up
> some military satellites using a very modest setup (either my old TV
> aerial or a random-wire antenna with a 10 db preamp). So far I haven't
> picked up any military traffic-- just a lot of voices yakking away in
> Portuguese (I understand that a lot of Brazilian radio pirates use
> these satellites to relay their own signals). Anyway, now that I know
> my Alinco (and my ICOM PCR-100) can pick them up I'm going to work on

> a more suitable antenna/amplifier combination. BTW, 255.550 seems
to
> be especially active if you want to check it out...
>
> Chris Gross
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285. Frequency Database

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-08-11 12:56:05 UTC
From: Magic Rabbits
Topic: 285 Message: 285

I noticed that nobody was supporting this group'[s frequency database (see Database item on the menu...), so I have entered a wadge of my best local frequencies for the city of Aberdeen. All the ones I've added have seen recent action - the Tesco store detectives are particularly entertaining, as are the University night watch persons.

Hopefully some others will add their favourite frequencies too!

Paul

286. Re: Mil Air

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-08-14 14:18:53 UTC
From: Christopher Gross
Topic: 272 Message: 286

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "kb4omo" <kb4omo@...> wrote:
>
Have you
> checked out "Hearsat" on the web for satelite monitoring, also
> Radioreference.com has a forum devoted too space + sat comms.
> Popular Communications recently published an article on building

I've checked out Hearsat, and some of the satellites they mention on their site (Orbcomm, Russian navsats) are easily audible on the Alinco even without a preamp or special antenna.

I was able to pick up 255.550 (and several other satellites in that range) very well with only a telescoping whip antenna during the week; I was on vacation in the Poconos, and maybe the altitude and lack of interference helped the reception. I was making notes of active frequencies and what was on them; I'll post the info as soon as I get it together...

Chris

287. Satellite frequencies

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-08-18 23:25:35 UTC
From: Christopher Gross
Topic: 287 Message: 287

It turns out that I left most of my logs in Pennsylvania when I came home from vacation. Oh well, I'll pick them up next week... In the meantime, here are some of the space frequencies I've picked up on my DJ-X3 (either with a CB-type whip antenna or with a preamp and external antenna), along with an ID. In a few cases the ID is an educated guess rather than a definite identification. I haven't heard much above 200 mHz since I got back, but 255.550 is usually pretty active, so I'll be keeping an ear out.

136.500 - NOAA 12 (data)
137.250 - Orbcomm (data)
137.440 - Orbcomm (data)
137.620 - NOAA 14 (data)
137.710 - Orbcomm (data)
145.800 - Space Station (voice, packet)
149.910 - Kosmos navsat (data)
253.850 - voice (Navy relay Channel 4)
255.550 - voice (LEASAT Navy relay Channel 5)
258.650 - voice (Gapfiller Bandplan G1)
260.535 - voice
261.400 - music
268.450 - music (Navy milsat)

Chris

288. DJ-X3 short of ear...

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-08-20 13:05:25 UTC
From: José Sebastián
Topic: 288 Message: 288

Have some mod to gain sensibility in the DJ-X3?...

289. DJ-X3 short of ear...

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-08-20 13:06:02 UTC
From: José Sebastián
Topic: 288 Message: 289

Have some mod to gain sensibility in the DJ-X3?...

290. Re: DJ-X3 short of ear...

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-08-20 14:30:57 UTC
From: Gav
Topic: 288 Message: 290

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--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, José Sebastián <porgadora@...> wrote:
>
> Have some mod to gain sensibility in the DJ-X3?...
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GET A LIFE!
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291. Re: DJ-X3 short of ear...

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-08-21 11:33:12 UTC
From: Magic Rabbits
Topic: 288 Message: 291

Make your own antenna e.g. a dipole, for the band you're interested
in, such as air band. Don't ask how, look on google.

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Josï¿½ Sebastiï¿½n <porgadora@...> wrote:
>
> Have some mod to gain sensibility in the DJ-X3?...
>

292. Re: DJ-X3 short of ear...

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-08-23 13:32:35 UTC
From: José Sebastián
Topic: 288 Message: 292

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Magic Rabbits" <poglad@...> wrote:
>
> Make your own antenna e.g. a dipole...

OK. I'm looking for one in google. Thanks. If anyone talks Spanish...
please write also in Spanish.

293. Re: DJ-X3 short of ear...

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-08-24 17:40:04 UTC
From: kb4omo
Topic: 288 Message: 293

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, José Sebastián <porgadora@...>
wrote:
>

If you can't find stuff on the net. I could send you photo copies
from some stuff have around here. Some from magazines and ham radio
books. It will all be in English though, I don't really have any
spanish refrence material. Take Care...Ray KB4OMO

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294. Re: DJ-X3 short of ear...

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-08-25 09:59:56 UTC
From: Paul Taylor
Topic: 288 Message: 294

There's a dipole calculator somewhere on the net - you tell it the band you're interested in, and it gives you the lengths. You could make an adjustable dipole out of two telescopic radio aerials, arranged thus:

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|-- --------> connected to inner coax

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The two aerials must not touch. You would extend them so that their lengths match the output of the dipole calculator for your band, e.g. you might pick 126 MHz for airband. (The overall length of the dipole will be about half a wavelength). Then you can adjust them manually for maximum clarity on the actual frequencies you're listening to. Some transmissions may not be audible with it mounted vertically like above, due to polarity; in that case you would mount it horizontally, and then you would need to turn it broadside-on to the location of the transmitter. Note that the coax can hang down from a horizontal dipole, but if it's vertical (like above) you need to have some distance before the coax droops downwards, otherwise it gets too close to the lower aerial. Not sure how far you have to go, I just make it the same length as the aerial itself.

And that, folks, is the limit of my knowledge of dipoles! But the above definitely works, and works brilliant for transmit too as long as you're careful to get the lengths right to avoid SWR problems.

295. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3 short of ear...

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-08-25 19:17:53 UTC
From: Philip Taylor
Topic: 288 Message: 295

Interesting.. had a little look on the net and found a few dipole calculators sites.

http://www.kwarc.org/ant-calc.html
http://www.csgnetwork.com/antennaedcalc.html

Found this site practically good as it gives calculations in half and quarter waves. If the length works out to be too large then you can opt for the smaller lengths as this will work nearly as good without much loss. This is why they use a coil at the base of antennas to soak up the length need so the wipe isn?t to long.

http://www.kb3kai.com/dipole-calculator.php

Hope this helps :-)

Phil

>From: "Paul Taylor" <poglad@...>
>Reply-To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
>To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
>Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3 short of ear...
>Date: Fri, 25 Aug 2006 10:59:56 +0100
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>band you're interested in, and it gives you the lengths. You could
>make an adjustable dipole out of two telescopic radio aerials,
>arranged thus:
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>dipole, but if it's vertical (like above) you need to have some
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>to the lower aerial. Not sure how far you have to go, I just make it
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>as you're careful to get the lengths right to avoid SWR problems.

296. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3 short of ear...

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-08-24 17:09:23 UTC
From: Raymond McKeever
Topic: 288 Message: 296

Check out...

arrl.org .....and do search of the site

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in, such as air band. Don't ask how, look on google.

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297. Re: DJ-X3 short of ear...

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-13 09:45:59 UTC
From: alejovarona
Topic: 288 Message: 297

Preamps are band dependent and a very delicate matter to play with. If
you feel daring enough, google is your friend.
(I just retrieved this one for the commercial FM radio band:
http://www.electronicsforu.com/EFYLinux/circuit/nov2003/CI-04-mosfet.pdf)
But I presume you will do better with a proper placement and
adjustment of your antenna and using specific gear for specific bands.
If listening to 2m and 70cm is your plan you will be better off buying
a portable whip for both bands and being outdoors.

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, José Sebastián <porgadora@...> wrote:
>
> Have some mod to gain sensibility in the DJ-X3?...
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298. DJ-X3 tuning

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-14 17:48:34 UTC
From: cheddarcaveman
Topic: 298 Message: 298

I bought the receiver primarily for air-band and the long wave for listening to BBC on .198KHz.
Unfortunately I find that this receiver does not tune to this frequency! It skips right over from .189 to .207KHz.
Is there a "fix" to make it cover the whole LW band in 1KHz steps???

299. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] DJ-X3 tuning

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-15 11:03:50 UTC
From: Alejo Varona
Topic: 298 Message: 299

I don't think so but there could be a workaround...

Is it possible for someone with a PC interface cable
to set one of the frequency memory banks to exactly
0.198MHz? Preferably with Alinco's programming
software to start with.

--- cheddarcaveman <michael@...>
wrote:

> I bought the receiver primarily for air-band and the
> long wave for
> listening to BBC on .198KHz.
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> tune to this
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300. Re: DJ-X3 tuning

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-15 16:15:17 UTC
From: José Sebastián
Topic: 298 Message: 300

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "cheddarcaveman" <michael@...> wrote:
>
> I bought the receiver primarily for air-band and the long wave for
> listening to BBC on .198KHz.
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> frequency! It skips right over from .189 to .207KHz.
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I don't know... I have the Alinco DJ-X3 E. It's other version. The Scanner is the same... But the step choice is: 5 - 6.25 - 8.33 - 10 - 12.5 - 15 - 20 - 25 - 30 - 50 - 100kHz for Spanish version.

From 100 to 153 Khz step is 1Khz. Later appears (Step by Step each turn of tuner): 162 Khz > 164 Khz > 171 Khz > 189 Khz > 207 Khz > 209 Khz > 216 Khz > 218 Khz > 227 Khz > 234 Khz 243 Khz > 245 Khz > 253 Khz > 261 Khz > 270 Khz. From here to 1620 Khz step is 9 Khz. From 1620 KHZ to 1299.995 MHZ, I can select the step range and wave mode only from 1625 Khz.
From 1620 Khz to 1295.995 MHZ, the complete band is scanned. No restrictions present. In the UK VERSION POLICE BAND is locked, and in the USA VERSION CELL phone band is locked. in the spanish version not restrictions...

301. Re: DJ-X3 tuning

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-15 19:12:41 UTC
From: leopeppeblues
Topic: 298 Message: 301

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, José Sebastián <porgadora@...>
> I don't know... I have the Alinco DJ-X3 E. It's other version. The
> Scanner is the same... But the step choice is: 5 - 6.25 - 8.33 - 10 -
> 12.5 - 15 - 20 - 25 - 30 - 50 - 100kHz for Spanish version.
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Hi! I'm an italian and I've bought a dj-x3T on ebay (I'm waiting ...
it' arriving). Could I use 9 khz on medium wave ... or T version has
only 10 khz step? Is it settable?

302. Re: DJ-X3 tuning

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-16 16:16:07 UTC
From: José Sebastián
Topic: 298 Message: 302

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--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "leopeppeblues" <leo78leo@...> wrote:
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> --- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, José Sebastián <porgadora@>
> > I don't know... I have the Alinco DJ-X3 E. It's other version. The
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The step in AM band CAN'T be changed in any mode: VFO mode an PC
mode builts in the program. This was writed in factory and protected
to avoid damages and modifications. Sorry: itś true unafortunely...
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303. Re: DJ-X3 tuning

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-16 21:04:41 UTC
From: cheddarcaveman
Topic: 298 Message: 303

That's a possibility but I don't know anything about the computer
interface etc. although my son is a computer programmer!
Do you need a program? Presumably one also needs a connecting cable
as well? Where can one get these from... any idea?

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Alejo Varona <alejovarona@...>
wrote:
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304. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3 tuning

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-17 09:01:41 UTC
From: Darren Crawford
Topic: 298 Message: 304

You can download the software from the official Alinco website.

I brought the cable for, I think it was £13 - but cant remember the website now.

-------Original Message-------

From: cheddarcaveman
Date: 16/09/2006 22:18:25
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3 tuning

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305. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3 tuning

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-17 16:37:28 UTC
From: Mike & Sue Dearden
Topic: 298 Message: 305

Thanks Darren

As you have the software and an interface, can you confirm that with these one can ""tune" one of the pre-set channels with a specific frequency using the computer?

(As a matter of interest, where does the interface plug into the receiver. The headphone socket?)

You probably read my problem? I am trying to get the DJ-X3 to tune to .198MHz (BBC Longwave). For some reason the VFO tuning skips right over this frequency!!

Mike Dearden

----- Original Message -----
From: Darren Crawford
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Sunday, September 17, 2006 10:01 AM
Subject: Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3 tuning

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306. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3 tuning

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-17 20:40:35 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 298 Message: 306
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

[Attachment content not displayed]

307. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3 tuning

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-18 07:28:51 UTC
From: Mike & Sue Dearden
Topic: 298 Message: 307

Hi Markus

Many thanks for your efforts. I've just checked your website and see you are in Switzerland.
This frequency is the BBC longwave broadcast and I thought it would be receivable in most parts of Europe?
Maybe I'm wrong.
Any way, many thanks again.
Regards

Mike Dearden

----- Original Message -----
From: Markus Baertschi
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Sunday, September 17, 2006 9:40 PM
Subject: Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3 tuning

Mike,

I've tried it. The 'Alinco Clone Utility' (that's what the program is called' allows to edit the channel memories and you can program an arbitrary frequency. I've tried to program .198 Mhz and it is accepted. After uploading if I select the corresponding memory the DJ-X3 displays a frequency of .198 Mhz. I don't know if it is actually receiving that frequency, though.

Markus

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308. Re: DJ-X3 tuning

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-18 07:33:10 UTC
From: cheddarcaveman
Topic: 298 Message: 308

Many thanks Markus
Is there anybody out there (UK)that can do this test please and confirm what Markus has done and that the DJ is actually receiving the BBC long-wave on .198MHz?

Really appreciate it!!
Mike Dearden

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Markus Baertschi" <markus@...> wrote:
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> Mike,
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> I've tried it. The 'Alinco Clone Utility' (that's what the program is
> called' allows to edit the channel memories and you can program an arbitrary
> frequency. I've tried to program .198 Mhz and it is accepted. After
> uploading if I select the corresponding memory the DJ-X3 displays a
> frequency of .198 Mhz. I don't know if it is actually receiving that
> frequency, though.
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> > one can ""tune" one of the pre-set channels with a specific frequency using
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> > (As a matter of interest, where does the interface plug into the receiver.
> > The headphone socket?)
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> > .198MHz (BBC Longwave). For some reason the VFO tuning skips right over this
> > frequency!!
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> > Mike Dearden
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> > ----- Original Message -----
> > *From:* Darren Crawford <thatdaznlou@...>
> > *To:* alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
> > *Sent:* Sunday, September 17, 2006 10:01 AM
> > *Subject:* Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3 tuning
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> > You can download the software from the official Alinco website.
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> > I brought the cable for, I think it was Â£13 - but cant remember
> > the website now.
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> > *-------Original Message-------*
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> > *From:* cheddarcaveman <michael@...>
> > *Date:* 16/09/2006 22:18:25
> > *To:* alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
> > *Subject:* [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3 tuning
> >
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> > That's a possibility but I don't know anything about the computer
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> > Do you need a program? Presumably one also needs a connecting
cable
> > as well? Where can one get these from... any idea?
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309. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3 tuning

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-19 19:48:51 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 298 Message: 309
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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310. Re: DJ-X3 tuning

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-20 14:21:50 UTC
From: cheddarcaveman
Topic: 298 Message: 310

Marcus
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works well.
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You said yours accepted .198MHZ??? How did you do it please?

Mike

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311. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3 tuning

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-20 21:41:40 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 298 Message: 311
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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312. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3 tuning

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-23 10:52:43 UTC
From: Philip Taylor
Topic: 298 Message: 312

It may be worth checking which version of the DJ-X3 you have.
I know that the Europeon version is marked DJ-X3E which you will find under
the belt clip on the back.

Regards

Phil

>From: "Markus Baertschi" <markus@...>
>Reply-To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
>To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
>Subject: Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3 tuning
>Date: Wed, 20 Sep 2006 23:41:40 +0200
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>Hi Mike,
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>I just fired the tool up and entered the frequency. See the attached
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>To create the screen shot I started the utility and loaded the saved file
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313. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3 tuning

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-23 10:54:24 UTC
From: Philip Taylor
Topic: 298 Message: 313

Sorry forgot to add, you need to take the battery compartment off to check.

>From: "Markus Baertschi" <markus@...>
>Reply-To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
>To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
>Subject: Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3 tuning
>Date: Wed, 20 Sep 2006 23:41:40 +0200
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314. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3 tuning

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-23 13:46:35 UTC
From: Mike & Sue Dearden
Topic: 298 Message: 314

Thanks for that Philip.
This is the DJ-X3E which I understand is the European version. Does this make a difference??

Marcus
Yes I HAVE managed to get one of the channels set to .198MHz, using the interface and Clone software. However, it does NOT receive the BBC longwave. It is obvious that alrthough the channel says that frequency, the VFO is not tuned to it!

Gentlemen, any more suggestions? I have already put it up for sale on Ebay but it has a week+ to run so plenty of time to cancel if I can find a solution!!

Michael

----- Original Message -----
From: "Philip Taylor" <incywincy3@...>
To: <alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Saturday, September 23, 2006 11:52 AM
Subject: Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3 tuning

> It may be worth checking which version of the DJ-X3 you have.
> I know that the Europeon version is marked DJ-X3E which you will find
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> Regards
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> Phil
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>>From: "Markus Baertschi" <markus@...>
>>Reply-To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
>>To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
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315. On the G4ZLP's DM232[A] cable for out beloved dj-x3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-28 09:26:45 UTC
From: alejovarona
Topic: 315 Message: 315

Hi all,
I got the cable in the topic, I tried it with Alinco's software releases 1.3.2 (from their site) and 1.3.5 from out group files.
I could not make it work through an USB-to-COM adapter and the official Alinco application.
I could make it work 50% connecting the cable straight to the PC's COM port. That is, I could download the scanner settings to my PC, but so far I have not being able to upload settings into the scanner sucessfully from my computer.
The error I get consistently is "Runtime Error: 5. Invalid Procedure call or Argument". The application also exits even before I confirm the error message clicking "Ok".
I'm using Windows 2000 (Build 2195: SP 4).
Any help will be highly appreciated.

On the other hand I haven't got any trouble with the DJ-X3MMU java application from the group files. It's a pity though that unlike with the official Alinco software you cannot set all the different scanner parameters with the later application.

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316. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] On the G4ZLP's DM232[A] cable for out beloved dj-x3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-28 10:04:39 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 315 Message: 316
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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317. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] On the G4ZLP's DM232[A] cable for out beloved dj-x3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-28 10:27:19 UTC
From: Alejo Varona
Topic: 315 Message: 317

> My picture is different, also with not everything
> working. I'm running
> Windows XP on a IBM Thinkpad and am using the
> built-in serial port.
> The official Alinco software is working fine, but
> the MMU Java program stops
> with the error 'Error loading app.prop file'.

That's an easy one. Follow step 2 of the DJ-X3MMU
application installation procedure:

2. Unzip DJ-X3MMU to: c:\DJ-X3MMU

;-)

>
> Just some remarks about your problems:
> Serial ports were originally designed to connect a
> modem. Many other uses (...)

Even worst. I cannot set my USB-COM adaptor speed. I
presume that the Alinco app does it, but not in the
"right" way. My reasons? The MMU app does the transfer
in a slower manner when compared with the official
Alinco one.

Damn it. This things wouldn't happen with Un*x.

Cheers mate,
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318. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] On the G4ZLP's DM232[A] cable for out beloved dj-x3 (II)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-28 10:46:54 UTC
From: Alejo Varona
Topic: 315 Message: 318

By the way, DJ-X3MMU works fine with my USB2COM
adapter.
I wonder if it would even work on Un*x. It should of
serial port programming at the app level is
independent of the underlying Java VM implementation.
Any volunteers?

--- alejovarona <alejovarona@...> wrote:

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319. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] On the G4ZLP's DM232[A] cable for out beloved dj-x3 (II)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-28 11:25:59 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 315 Message: 319
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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320. How do I tell what model I have?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-28 18:57:09 UTC
From: J W
Topic: 320 Message: 320

I have a Alinco DJX3 I bought from Tokyo. There is no indication on the box, manual or radio what version of the DJX3 it is. How do I tell what model of DJX3 I have? It is not the crippled USA version with the 800mhz blocks, I know that much.

321. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] How do I tell what model I have?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-28 20:40:58 UTC
From: Alejo Varona
Topic: 320 Message: 321

Take the battery section out or just slide it down a
couple of centimeters (beware with the safety clip at
the bottom). There should be an id sticker including
model and serial number.

--- J W <eyestalk@...> wrote:

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> the box, manual or radio what version of the DJX3 it
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322. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] How do I tell what model I have?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-28 20:44:12 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 320 Message: 322
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323. Re: On the G4ZLP's DM232[A] cable for out beloved dj-x3 (II)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-28 21:19:09 UTC
From: Iain
Topic: 315 Message: 323

Evening chaps,

I never realised I'd hard-coded the app.prop file in the DJ-X3MMU
application!

I should be adding load/save to Excel Workbook functionality soon,
will take a look then :)

Cheers,
Iain - M0VPE (DJ-X3MMU author)

I've won the UK Lotto over 50 times! Want to know how?
www.lottosense.net

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Markus Baertschi" <markus@...>
wrote:
>
> It uses some serial.sun.com interfaces and ships with a windows
DLL.
> In addition is has a hardcoded path to the app.prop file (C:\dj-
x3mmu),
> this is why it did not start up for me. While it might be easy to
modify
> the program to work, provided you have the source code. We don't
have
> source :-(.
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324. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: On the G4ZLP's DM232[A] cable for out beloved dj-x3 (II)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-09-29 08:43:38 UTC
From: Tony Fendall
Topic: 315 Message: 324

Hi Iain,
I think I hacked the path succesfully when we were testing.
Regards
Tony
-----Original Message-----
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com]On Behalf Of Iain
Sent: 28 September 2006 22:19
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: On the G4ZLP's DM232[A] cable for out beloved dj-x3 (II)

Evening chaps,

I never realised I'd hard-coded the app.prop file in the DJ-X3MMU application!

I should be adding load/save to Excel Workbook functionality soon, will take a look then :)

Cheers,
Iain - M0VPE (DJ-X3MMU author)

I've won the UK Lotto over 50 times! Want to know how?
www.lottosense.net

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Markus Baertschi" <markus@...> wrote:
>
> It uses some serial.sun.com interfaces and ships with a windows DLL.
> In addition is has a hardcoded path to the app.prop file (C:\dj-x3mmu),
> this is why it did not start up for me. While it might be easy to modify
> the program to work, provided you have the source code. We don't have
> source :-(.
>
> Markus
>
> On 9/28/06, Alejo Varona <alejovarona@...> wrote:
> >
> >
> > By the way, DJ-X3MMU works fine with my USB2COM

> > adapter.
> > I wonder if it would even work on Un*x. It should of
> > serial port programming at the app level is
> > independent of the underlying Java VM implementation.
> > Any volunteers?
> >
> >
> --
> Markus Baertschi Phone: ++41 (21) 807 1677
> Bas du Rossé 14b Fax : ++41 (21) 807 1678
> CH-1163, Etoy Email: markus@...
> Switzerland Homepage: www.markus.org
>

325. waht all can it do?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-10-04 20:42:36 UTC
From: jim
Topic: 325 Message: 325

can anybody tell me what all the djx3 can really do?i have heard all kinds of things like,descramble,hit in the 900 mhz, shortwave.ect if say i wanted to listen to my local 911 which is 39,9'to 160.9 how would i do that.i have a bunch of questions lol im excited about this dj-x3 i will have more questions later thanks jim

326. new to this

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-10-04 20:34:20 UTC
From: jim
Topic: 326 Message: 326

i am new to this djx3 from what i can understand this can do about anything i want it to.do you just put it on the computer and program it to the frequencies you want? and i have one ordered from the uk will this one be able to descamble and pick up cell? thanks i am looking forward to all of this.......jim

327. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] waht all can it do?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-10-05 19:00:41 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 325 Message: 327
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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328. Re: waht all can it do?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-10-05 22:57:29 UTC
From: jim
Topic: 325 Message: 328

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Markus Baertschi" <markus@...>
wrote:
>
> Hi Jim,
>
> The art of scanning is collecting and organizing frequencies. The
DJ will
> then scan these frequencies in its memory.
> You seem to think it will by some magic detect the 911 stuff in
the entire
> frequency range you indicate. This is not so !
>
> You can use your DJ to search for frequencies in this range. This
searching
> will take a while, because it is slow (tens of thousands steps to
search)
> and
> radios don't transmit all the times. It a radio is transmitting 5%
of the
> time then
> you have a 1/20 chance to find it in your search.
> Once you have found a frequency you'll program it into the memory
of the DJ.
> When you are satisfied with your collection then you'll use only
scanning
> which is quite fast.
> To get started try to find some common frequencies, for example
aviation
> and start listening to those to the feel. It helps a lot if you
can get a
> list
> of frequencies relevant to your area. HAM's can be of help for
this.
>
> Markus
>
>
>
> On 10/4/06, jim <socom2ns@...> wrote:
> >
> > can anybody tell me what all the djx3 can really do?i have heard
all
> > kinds of things like,descramble,hit in the 900 mhz, shortwave.ect
> > if say i wanted to listen to my local 911 which is 39,9'to 160.9
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HI I GUESS MY REAL QUESTION WAS WHAT ALL CAN IT DO I HAVE SCANNERS HERE BUT NOTHING LIKE THE DJX3. I HAVE SPEECH INVERSION DESCAMBLERS AND COULD NOT FIND A SCANNER WITH ONE. IF I AM LISTENING TO THE POLICE AND THEY GO TO SCRAMBLE WILL THIS AUTOMATICLY DESCRAMBLE IT? AND WILL IT PICK UP CELL? THE ONE IM GETTING IS FROM THE UK IT IS DJX3E.DOES ANY BODY HAVE YAHOO I CAN ADD YOU TO MINE SO IF I HAVE A QUESTION ONCE I GET MINE? FEEL FREE TO ADD ME TO YOUR YAHOO IT IS SOCOM2NS@.... THANK YOU MARKUS ANY MORE INFO WILL BE NICE,THANKS,JIM

329. ANOTHER QUESTION DJX3E

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-10-05 23:09:03 UTC
From: jim
Topic: 329 Message: 329

HI MARCUS I GUESS MY QUESTION WAS WHEN I AM LISTENING TO THE POLICE
WILL THIS AOUTMATICLY DESCRAMBLE? I HAVE SCANNERS AND SPEECH INVERSION
DESCRAMBLERS BUT NOTHING LIKE THE DJX3.AND WILL IT PICK UP CELL? THIS
IS AN AMAZING SCANNER!!! ANY MORE INFO WOULD BE NICE.ANY BODY THAT
WANTS TO ADD ME TO YOUR YAHOO PLEASE DO SO. SO I CAN ASK MORE QUESTIONS
LATER OR TO JUST TALK....MY YAHOO IS SOCOM2NS@.... IF YOU WANT ME
TO ADD YOU JUST LET ME KNOW. I LIVE IN WEST VIRGINIA,USA THANKS,JIM

330. Re: ANOTHER QUESTION DJX3E

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-10-07 12:18:52 UTC
From: P@
Topic: 329 Message: 330

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "jim" <socom2ns@...> wrote:
>
> HI MARCUS I GUESS MY QUESTION WAS WHEN I AM LISTENING TO THE POLICE
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>
I think you will find its illigal to use the uk version of the scanner
over there as it does cover the freqs you mention and no it wont do
speech inversion.hope that helps.
P@

331. Re: ANOTHER QUESTION DJX3E

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-10-09 00:02:50 UTC
From: Christopher Gross
Topic: 329 Message: 331

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "P@" <UGGUMPH@...> wrote:
>

> I think you will find its illigal to use the uk version of the scanner
> over there as it does cover the freqs you mention and no it wont do
> speech inversion.hope that helps.
> P@
>

It's not illegal to use it here (I have one myself), but it IS illegal to divulge or improperly use any private information you may pick up. Not that there's much to hear; most cell phones are digital these days, and the DJ-X3 can't decode their signals-- so all you can hear is a buzzing or whining noise. I've picked up a few mobile-phone calls outside that range, but the novelty wore off quickly and I moved on. One call consisted almost entirely of someone saying, "Okay, okay... Okay... Yeah, okay... Okay... Okay..." (I was only hearing one side of the conversation)... :-)

Chris

332. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: ANOTHER QUESTION DJX3E

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-10-22 16:49:23 UTC
From: lintongormley@hotmail.com
Topic: 329 Message: 332

It does do speech inversion regards
Linton

----- Original Message -----
From: Christopher Gross
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Monday, October 09, 2006 1:02 AM
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: ANOTHER QUESTION DJX3E

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "P@" <UGGUMPH@...> wrote:
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the conversation)... :-)

Chris

333. Re: ANOTHER QUESTION DJX3E

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-10-23 00:47:18 UTC
From: Christopher Gross
Topic: 329 Message: 333

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, <lintongormley@...> wrote:
>
> It does do speech inversion regards
> Linton
>

Is that what it is? I've never quite understood that descrambler option and never really had a chance to use it, since no one around here seems to use scrambling. I once picked up what I thought was a speech-inverted satellite signal in the 260-mHz band, but the descrambler didn't seem to help, so I guess I was wrong. There's a piece of software called "SFX Machine" that can invert and un-invert audio signals; maybe it would work on speech-inverted transmissions as well...

Chris

334. Alinco DJ-X3 Japan Version Software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-10-29 04:03:09 UTC
From: sochaph
Topic: 334 Message: 334

The Alinco website states that US software cannot be used with the Japan Version DJ-X3s. Does anyone know if software for the Japan version is available to download from any other site?

335. Re: Alinco DJ-X3 Japan Version Software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-10-29 09:47:01 UTC
From: jim
Topic: 334 Message: 335

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "sochaph" <sochaph@...> wrote:
>
> The Alinco website states that US software cannot be used with the
> Japan Version DJ-X3s. Does anyone know if software for the Japan
> version is available to download from any other site?
>
i bought mine from the uk if you get the djx3-E it will work and
everything is UNBLOCKED.....im not sure if the jap version will work on
the alinco site....jim

336. Pre-programmed memories

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-10-30 02:34:46 UTC
From: sochaph
Topic: 336 Message: 336

hello again,

I was wondering if someone could tell me what frequencies are pre-programmed into the dj-x3? Can the pre-programmed memories be overwritten?

Thanks for your input.

337. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Pre-programmed memories

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-10-30 07:58:17 UTC
From: Alejo Varona
Topic: 336 Message: 337

I presume you mean the "skip" frequencies (J bank).
At least in the "European" model all pre-programmed
frequencies in the J-bank can be overwritten.
I also recall having seen a file somewhere with the
factory preprogrammed frequencies but I haven't
happened to need them.

--- sochaph <sochaph@...> wrote:

> hello again,
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> frequencies are
> pre-programmed into the dj-x3? Can the
> pre-programmed memories be
> overwritten?
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> Thanks for your input.
>
>
>

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338. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Pre-programmed memories

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-10-30 09:29:12 UTC
From: lintongormley@hotmail.com
Topic: 336 Message: 338

As far as I know the jbank are known unwanted birdies so I would leave them alone.
Birdies are signals generated by the radio isolator or "heartbeat"
you can identify a birdie by removing the antenna if the signal stays it's a birdie
They can be annoying when you scanning as the radio will keep stopping on them.
Birdies can be tuned out of radio's with a small bandwidth, however with a scanner this becomes
almost impossible so the solution is program the radio to skip those frequencies.
That is what the jbank is for.
Yes you can reprogram the jbank if you wanted too.
You see the radio needs to generate a small signal to work so
for example if the radio had an IF (intermediate frequency of 1.56 mhz you would gets birdies
or harmonics doubles at 1.56mhz x2 = 3.12mhz x2 = 6.24mhz x2 = 12.48mhz x2 = 24.96mhz
Getting weaker as at goes up in frequency
A scanners IF is more complex than this at most have 3 oscillators.
All the best Linton

----- Original Message -----
From: Alejo Varona
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Monday, October 30, 2006 7:58 AM
Subject: Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Pre-programmed memories

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happened to need them.

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>
>
>

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339. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Pre-programmed memories

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-10-30 09:31:04 UTC
From: lintongormley@hotmail.com
Topic: 336 Message: 339

Yes they can
Its easier to do it with the software on your pc
Lint
----- Original Message -----
From: sochaph
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Monday, October 30, 2006 2:34 AM
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Pre-programmed memories

hello again,

I was wondering if someone could tell me what frequencies are
pre-programmed into the dj-x3? Can the pre-programmed memories be
overwritten?

Thanks for your input.

340. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Alinco DJ-X3 Japan Version Software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-10-30 09:48:36 UTC
From: lintongormley@hotmail.com
Topic: 334 Message: 340

I pride myself on finding anything that's out there
No matter how hard anyone hides it.
I spent the whole of Saturday busting into Japanese alinco related ftp's and dredging the net
With the most sophisticated software and search algorisms and translators you can imagine.
It was interesting to note that alinco has a scaffolding and construction business as well - lol
Even after getting hold of my contacts in the area no one has ever seen or heard of software specifically for the DJ-X3 S
I don't think it exists, and its pointless writing to alinco
As they don't talk to any non Japanese clients - period
What happens when you use the standard software?

----- Original Message -----
From: sochaph
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Sunday, October 29, 2006 4:03 AM
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Alinco DJ-X3 Japan Version Software

The Alinco website states that US software cannot be used with the
Japan Version DJ-X3s. Does anyone know if software for the Japan
version is available to download from any other site?

341. ERW-4C Cables

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-11-04 04:10:31 UTC
From: ve3cvs
Topic: 341 Message: 341

We have finally release after market ERW-4C cables. Currently, I use
it on my DR635.
If your interested, please pay us a visit at www.degendesigns.com
THX Guenther VE3CVS

342. Steps

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-12-30 19:46:19 UTC
From: James Roberts
Topic: 342 Message: 342

Hi, can this scanner manually change steps? I ask this because on an older scanner, I couldn't reach 71.0125AM because the steps wouldn't change. Would I reach 71.0125AM on the Alinco DJ-X3E.

Thanks all, James.

343. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Steps

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-12-30 21:16:58 UTC
From: ewerj@sbcglobal.net
Topic: 342 Message: 343

Push the function key then the mon key. Scroll thru the frequency step till you hit 6.25. This allows you to set that frequency. Just did it myself

JRE

-----Original Message-----
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of James Roberts
Sent: Saturday, December 30, 2006 2:46 PM
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Steps

Hi, can this scanner manually change steps? I ask this because on an older scanner, I couldn't reach 71.0125AM because the steps wouldn't change. Would I reach 71.0125AM on the Alinco DJ-X3E.

Thanks all, James.

344. problems with software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2006-12-31 21:26:05 UTC
From: Richard
Topic: 344 Message: 344

Hello all,
I wonder if anyone can help me. When I use the DJ-X3E clone software, I can upload the memories from the radio to the pc but when I try to write chanels to the radio, the software begins to work and then just closes down. I am using version 1.35 of the clone software and windows XP pro. Any information would be appreciated.

345. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] problems with software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-01-01 11:52:32 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 344 Message: 345
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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346. New Member Here (Question?)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-01-01 19:29:00 UTC
From: chrisb1357
Topic: 346 Message: 346

Hi all,

Just to let you know i am new to the group and have had my DJ-X3 Scanner for a month now. I am intrested in Mill Scanning and Civil.

I am also looking to know how i can program my scanner via a windows xp laptop. I have seen all the data cable diagrams on here but i am not the sort of person who is good with electrnics. Is there anywhere i can buy one cheap or can someone make one.

Chris

347. Re: New Member Here (Question?)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-01-01 20:20:37 UTC
From: jim
Topic: 346 Message: 347

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "chrisb1357" <chrisb1357@...>

> HEY CHRIS THE BEST WAY TO PROGRAM YOU ALINCO IS TO DO IT MANUALLY
TOO MUCH PROBLEM WITH CABLE PROGRAM. YOU CAN PICK UP ANYTHING ONE THESE
SCANNERS CELL PHONES CORDLESS YOU CAN EVEN DESCRAMBLE POLICE. OVERALL
ITS A NICE SCANNER BUT SLOW ON SCANNING..WHERE ARE YOU FROM? IM FROM
WEST VIRGINIA USA

348. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: New Member Here (Question?)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-01-01 21:12:10 UTC
From: Chris Branston
Topic: 346 Message: 348

Hi Jim,

Many thanks for your quick reply. I am from Leicester in the UK.

Chris

jim <socom2ns@...> wrote:
--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "chrisb1357" <chrisb1357@...>

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ITS A NICE SCANNER BUT SLOW ON SCANNING..WHERE ARE YOU FROM? IM FROM
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349. Re: New Member Here (Question?)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-01-02 10:17:05 UTC
From: Tony
Topic: 346 Message: 349

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Chris Branston <chrisb1357@...>
wrote:
>
> Hi Jim,
>
> Many thanks for your quick reply. I am from Leicester in the UK.
>
> Chris
>
> jim <socom2ns@...> wrote:
> --- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "chrisb1357"
<chrisb1357@>
>
> > HEY CHRIS THE BEST WAY TO PROGRAM YOU ALINCO IS TO DO IT MANUALLY
> TOO MUCH PROBLEM WITH CABLE PROGRAM. YOU CAN PICK UP ANYTHING ONE
THESE
Chris,
I use the DJX3-MMU program written by Ian Stirzak.
I had no success using the Alinco software, as did many others, so I
use Ian's program and one of his cables and connect using a
USB/Serial adaptor with great success.
See the files section of this group for the program.
BTW Ian's cable is twice the quality of the Alinco one and half the
price.
Regards
Tony

350. Re: problems with software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-01-02 20:26:01 UTC
From: Richard
Topic: 344 Message: 350

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Markus Baertschi" <markus@...>
wrote:
>
> Hi Richard,
>
> what is your hardware configuration ?
>
> Successful transfer depends on the serial port and the adapter
> cable you are using. You might be successful by using another
> port or cable.
>
> It is known that some USB-serial cables work and others don't,
> for example. Unfortunately this is not hard science and you might
> have to try several ports/cables.
>
> Markus
>
> On 12/31/06, Richard <richard.brown31@...> wrote:
> >
> > Hello all,
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> Switzerland Homepage: www.markus.org
>
Hello Markus,
Many thanks for the suggestions. I never thought to try a different
serial port but when I changed to the other port, it works fine.
Thanks again, Richard

351. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: problems with software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-01-02 21:33:26 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 344 Message: 351
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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352. Happy New Year

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-01-03 01:33:53 UTC
From: Richard
Topic: 352 Message: 352

I just thought I would wish all members of the group a happy and prosperous New Year. Cheers all
Richard

353. SATCOM

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-01-25 13:22:35 UTC
From: José Sebastián
Topic: 353 Message: 353

I, guys: Here, in Spain, le last day in morning, 24-JANUARY-2007, I was heard radio amatuers in conversation using satellites SATCOM or similar.
The freq: 257.150Mhz NFM. Brasilians, of corse.
No mods on my DJ-X3. Even the antenna is the original. The Doppler effect makes desviation in the freq of reception.

354. Re: SATCOM

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-01-26 18:07:57 UTC
From: Christopher Gross
Topic: 353 Message: 354

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, José Sebastián <porgadora@...> wrote:
>
> I, guys: Here, in Spain, le last day in morning, 24-JANUARY-2007, I
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> No mods on my DJ-X3. Even the antenna is the original. The Doppler
> effect makes desviation in the freq of reception.
>

Hello José,

The 257.150 signal comes from a UHF Follow-On satellite (Channel 5 Quebec); the signal comes in very well here in New Jersey, and I usually pick up a repeating data signal when the
pirates aren't talking. The pirates can also be heard on 255.550, 258.650, and several other
frequencies-- I also hear English voices sometimes on 269.950. The last time I heard them, two operaters were testing a digital link... but only the analog voice link seemed to be working.

Chris

355. Re: SATCOM

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-02-06 14:20:13 UTC
From: José Sebastián
Topic: 353 Message: 355

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Christopher Gross" <cgross@...>
wrote:
>
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> working.
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This is correct: The pirates radio-amateurs of Brazil and Portugal,
transmit many days at the week around the 255-265 Mhz. This can be
checked at the night in the U.K. and Spain...

356. Newbie Help

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-02-26 16:52:26 UTC
From: Mike Mulrooney
Topic: 356 Message: 356

Hello All,

Im new to scanning and new to the DJ-X3.

Is there an Idiots Guide to using the DJ-X3 ?
Im having trouble setting up the upper and lower memory scans :-(

Im based in the NW of England, are there any web guides to what I can
tune in to?

I have so far heard a few planes around 108 to 135MHZ. Ive also heard
a couple of amusing conversations from what I think is our local
electricty board engineers around 140mhz.

Thanks

Mike...

357. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Newbie Help

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-02-26 17:30:26 UTC
From: James Roberts
Topic: 356 Message: 357

Hello, can't help you with the scanning boundaries, but if you are interested in the fire brigade, there is a list here of frequencies used by all services in the UK.

http://www.firefleet.co.uk/html/british_radio_call_signs.html

James.

From: "Mike Mulrooney"
Reply-To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Newbie Help
Date: Mon, 26 Feb 2007 16:52:26 -0000

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Thanks

Mike...

Exclusive Ed Byrne daily comedy clips on MSN Video
(http://g.msn.com/8HMBENUK/2734??PS=47575)

358. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Newbie Help

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-02-26 20:15:54 UTC
From: Jan van Dinteren
Topic: 356 Message: 358

1. Set lower memory scan
2. Press [FUNC/ENTER] key
3. Press [BANK] until bank A is selected
4. Rotate the dial to select channel (00-19)
5. Press V/P/M to store lower memory scan
Same procedure to store upper memory scan, select bank B from same channel as 4.

Good luck!
Jan

-----Oorspronkelijk bericht-----
Van: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
[mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com]namens Mike Mulrooney
Verzonden: maandag 26 februari 2007 17:52
Aan: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Onderwerp: [alinco-dj-x3] Newbie Help

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Thanks

Mike...

359. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Newbie Help

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-02-27 11:27:13 UTC
From: Alejo Varona
Topic: 356 Message: 359

--- Mike Mulrooney <mike_mulrooney@...> wrote:

> Im having trouble setting up the upper and lower
> memory scans :-(

Just remember that Axx is the upper frequency limit of
the scan and Bxx is the lower limit. Hence for
listening the european 2m ham band you would set A00
to 146.000 and B00 to 144.000

It takes a while but you'll get the hang of it.

Any questions? Get answers on any topic at www.Answers.yahoo.com. Try it now.

360. Re: Newbie Help

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-02-27 15:32:08 UTC
From: Mike Mulrooney
Topic: 356 Message: 360

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Alejo Varona <alejovarona@...>
wrote:
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>
> --- Mike Mulrooney <mike_mulrooney@...> wrote:
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> > memory scans :-(
>
> Just remember that Axx is the upper frequency limit of
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> to 146.000 and B00 to 144.000
>
> It takes a while but you'll get the hang of it.
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> ____
Thanks for all the help :-)

I'll have another play

Cheers

Mike..._____
_____
> Any questions? Get answers on any topic at www.Answers.yahoo.com.
Try it now.
>

361. Cable for DJ-X3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-03-05 15:30:59 UTC
From: Mike Mulrooney
Topic: 361 Message: 361

Hello,

Im finaly getting the hang of my DJ-X3 :-)

Ive seen a few post that mention a couple of bits of software and cables.

What can the software do for me?

Where can I purchase a reaonabley priced cable?

Im based in the UK

Thanks

Mike...

362. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Cable for DJ-X3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-03-05 16:31:58 UTC
From: Alejo Varona
Topic: 361 Message: 362

From my own personal experience:

I'm happy with my G4ZLP's DM232[A] cable. I use the
DJ-X3MMU software available at the file section of
this group. It is not perfect (I would prefer it to
read and write the configuration files in plaint text
rather than dealing with serialized java objects) but
I prefer it over the official Alinco application which
by now looks totally unsupported.

If your computer lacks a serial port as it is my case,
I recommend the Keyspan USB to RS232 adapter. Other
gadgets may do the trick but I can only speak of what
I own.

Hope it helps,

--- Mike Mulrooney <mike_mulrooney@...> wrote:

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363. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Cable for DJ-X3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-03-05 16:26:21 UTC
From: Ravi Miranda
Topic: 361 Message: 363
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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364. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Cable for DJ-X3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-03-05 17:19:27 UTC
From: Tony Fendall
Topic: 361 Message: 364

Hi All,

We should remember that Iain Stirzak wrote DJX3-MMU for us totally F.O.C.

He also sells a splendid cable, far better quality than any of the
mainstream manufacturers.

About £20 each, if I remember rightly, the others are around £40.

So lets support Iain please.

Regards

Tony

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From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com] On
Behalf Of Alejo Varona
Sent: 05 March 2007 16:32
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Cable for DJ-X3

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365. PSK31

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-03-06 11:04:08 UTC
From: costamario
Topic: 365 Message: 365

Hi all,

Does anyone listen/read to PSK31 ?

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/PSK31
www.psk31.com

I use linux on my laptop and had some problems trying to install
available software.

Cheers,
MC

366. Re: Cable for DJ-X3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-03-06 14:08:29 UTC
From: Mike Mulrooney
Topic: 361 Message: 366

Ok sounds like I need to purchase one of Ians cables :-)

Where can I get one from?

Thanks

Mike...

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Tony Fendall" <tony@...> wrote:
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> Hi All,
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> We should remember that Iain Stirzak wrote DJX3-MMU for us totally
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> Behalf Of Alejo Varona
> Sent: 05 March 2007 16:32
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367. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Cable for DJ-X3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-03-06 15:54:37 UTC
From: Tony Fendall
Topic: 361 Message: 367

Hi Mike,

Have a look at Iains website www.m0vpe.co.uk

I think that will give you the cable details.

Regards

Tony

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From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Mike Mulrooney
Sent: 06 March 2007 14:08
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Cable for DJ-X3

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Where can I get one from?

Thanks

Mike...

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yahoogroups.com [mailto:alinco-dj-
x3@yahoogroups. <mailto:x3%40yahoogroups.com> com] On
> Behalf Of Alejo Varona
> Sent: 05 March 2007 16:32
> To: alinco-dj-x3@ <mailto:alinco-dj-x3%40yahoogroups.com> yahoogroups.com
> Subject: Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Cable for DJ-X3
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368. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] PSK31

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-03-06 18:43:27 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 365 Message: 368
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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369. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] PSK31

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-03-07 08:24:23 UTC
From: Alejo Varona
Topic: 365 Message: 369

Markus, I'd like to get a little bit away from the
main subject of the mailing list and ask yo about
PSK31.
AFAICT, PSK31 is a binary phase modulated tone with a
31.25 baud rate. Hence you can modulate it for TX
using AM or even FM. But when reading some papers
about PSK31 some even mention SSB modulations. IMHO,
the latter is possible but I wonder if one could
retrieve the original signal using the djx3 which does
not provide SSB reception.
Any info on the subject will be appreciated.

--- Markus Baertschi <markus@...> wrote:

> I do listen to PSK31, but used always either my
> shortwave radio or my HAM
> rig as receiver.
> The DJ could be usable, if you add a large antenna
> and don't have a strong
> transmitter nearby.
>
> Markus
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> On 3/6/07, costamario <costamario@...>
> wrote:
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> > I use linux on my laptop and had some problems
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TV dinner still cooling?
Check out "Tonight's Picks" on Yahoo! TV.
http://tv.yahoo.com/

370. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] PSK31

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-03-08 18:59:32 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 365 Message: 370
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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371. New file uploaded to alinco-dj-x3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-03-11 09:12:57 UTC
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 11 Message: 371

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the alinco-dj-x3
group.

File : /DJ-X3 MMU/DJ-X3MMU.zip
Uploaded by : m0vpe <iain@...>
Description : DJ-X3 Memory Manager v1.3.01

You can access this file at the URL:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/files/DJ-X3%20MMU/DJ-X3MMU.zip

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
http://help.yahoo.com/help/us/groups/files

Regards,

m0vpe <iain@...>

372. Re: PSK31

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-03-13 13:15:54 UTC
From: costamario
Topic: 365 Message: 372

I was able to install 'fldigi' software
(http://www.w1hkj.com/Fldigi.html) on my thinkpad laptop running
linux, but on a very small try I couldn't get any conversation so far.
MC.

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Markus Baertschi" <markus@...>
wrote:
>
> Hi Alejo,
>
> now that you mention it: I used my shortwave receiver in ssb mode. I
don't
> know
> if it will work on AM at all.
>
> Markus
>
>
> On 3/7/07, Alejo Varona <alejovarona@...> wrote:
> >
> > Markus, I'd like to get a little bit away from the
> > main subject of the mailing list and ask yo about
> > PSK31.
> > AFAICT, PSK31 is a binary phase modulated tone with a
> > 31.25 baud rate. Hence you can modulate it for TX
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373. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: PSK31

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-03-13 13:43:44 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 365 Message: 373
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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374. Re: Cable for DJ-X3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-03-16 21:07:05 UTC
From: Mike Mulrooney
Topic: 361 Message: 374

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Tony Fendall" <tony@...> wrote:
>
> Hi Mike,
>
> Have a look at Iains website www.m0vpe.co.uk
>
> I think that will give you the cable details.
>
> Regards
>
> Tony
>
>

Ive got the cable and it works fine! :-)

Would somebody like to attach their .ser file for me? A UK one would be nice.

Thanks

Mike...

375. New file uploaded to alinco-dj-x3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-03-22 15:43:54 UTC
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 11 Message: 375

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the alinco-dj-x3
group.

File : /DJ-X3 MMU/DJ-X3MMU.zip
Uploaded by : m0vpe <iain@...>
Description : DJ-X3 Memory Manager v1.3.02

You can access this file at the URL:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/files/DJ-X3%20MMU/DJ-X3MMU.zip

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
http://help.yahoo.com/help/us/groups/files

Regards,

m0vpe <iain@...>

376. New file uploaded to alinco-dj-x3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-03-24 18:12:46 UTC
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 11 Message: 376

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the alinco-dj-x3
group.

File : /DJ-X3 MMU/DJ-X3MMU.zip
Uploaded by : m0vpe <iain@...>
Description : DJ-X3 Memory Manager v1.3.03

You can access this file at the URL:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/files/DJ-X3%20MMU/DJ-X3MMU.zip

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
http://help.yahoo.com/help/us/groups/files

Regards,

m0vpe <iain@...>

377. DJ-X3 Memory Management Utility

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-03-29 21:11:12 UTC
From: Iain
Topic: 191 Message: 377

I've uploaded a new version into the files directory v1.3.04 - this version has the sorting function added to the Search Pass / Priority Memory tabs (simply click the column header..).

If anyone has a preference for the configuration file being written to a multi-tab Excel Workbook or an INI file instead, please let me know in the next two weeks. I expect to add this functionality when I return from holiday :-)

Cheers,
Iain

Play the UK National Lotto with 88 lines for £5.00. Want to know how?
www.lottosense.net

378. alinco software help please

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-04-01 10:35:14 UTC
From: md0dxw
Topic: 378 Message: 378

downloaded the clone software - but i keep getting the message
run time error 5 when i ask it to read the djx3 any ideas please

380. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] alinco software help please

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-04-04 16:58:02 UTC
From: Alejo Varona
Topic: 378 Message: 380

Use DJX3-MMU available at the Files section of this
group. At least that application is maintained
nowadays unlike Alinco's.
And IMHO works better.

--- md0dxw <wmorgan@...> wrote:

> downloaded the clone software - but i keep getting
> the message
> run time error 5 when i ask it to read the djx3 any
> ideas please
>
>

_____
Need Mail bonding?
Go to the Yahoo! Mail Q&A for great tips from Yahoo! Answers users.
http://answers.yahoo.com/dir/?link=list&sid=396546091

381. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] alinco software help please

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-04-04 16:59:08 UTC
From: Alejo Varona
Topic: 378 Message: 381

Use DJX3-MMU available at the Files section of this
group. At least that application is maintained
nowadays unlike Alinco's.
And IMHO works better.

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> downloaded the clone software - but i keep getting
> the message
> run time error 5 when i ask it to read the djx3 any
> ideas please
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>

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382. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] alinco software help please

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-04-04 16:59:59 UTC
From: Alejo Varona
Topic: 378 Message: 382

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> run time error 5 when i ask it to read the djx3 any
> ideas please
>
>

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383. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] alinco software help please

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-04-04 16:59:52 UTC
From: Alejo Varona
Topic: 378 Message: 383

Use DJX3-MMU available at the Files section of this
group. At least that application is maintained
nowadays unlike Alinco's.
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384. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] alinco software help please

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-04-04 17:07:30 UTC
From: Alejo Varona
Topic: 378 Message: 384

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ation is maintained nowadays unlike Alinco's.
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--- md0dxw <wmorgan@...> wrote:

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> run time error 5 when i ask it to read the djx3 any
> ideas please
>
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385. Apologies for the multiple posting

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-04-04 18:04:28 UTC
From: Alejo Varona
Topic: 385 Message: 385

It was yahoo, not me.

_____
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http://games.yahoo.com/games/front

386. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Apologies for the multiple posting

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-04-04 19:24:00 UTC
From: W Morgan Griffiths
Topic: 385 Message: 386

That's OK thanks for your kind help.

Morgan

-----Original Message-----
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Alejo Varona
Sent: Wednesday, April 04, 2007 7:04 PM
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Apologies for the multiple posting

It was yahoo, not me.

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Version: 7.5.446 / Virus Database: 268.18.26/746 - Release Date: 04/04/2007 13:09

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387. Re: DJX3-MMU question

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-04-07 08:55:56 UTC
From: Iain
Topic: 387 Message: 387

Dave,

To edit channels from scratch simply choose: File -> New from the
main menu. To add/edit Memory Channels etc, select the Memory tab,
click on a channel and you can either then directly enter the
frequency or right-click and choose Program Channel. Auto Mode/Step
is toggled via the menu item on the Radio main menu.

To download/upload channel data to/from the DJ-X3, first connect the
interface cable between the radio and PC and then make sure the radio
is in CLONE mode. Using Radio -> Comm Port from the menu select the
correct comm port for your PC. The download/upload option is
available from the pop-up menu.

Hope this helps
Iain - M0VPE

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "dave442439"
<dave.mcglaughlin@...> wrote:
>
> Just got my DJ-X3 and getting used to it, and enjoying the ability
to
> enter frequencies via the PC. Not to mention the fact that
> everything's backed up as a result of doing so - I've already
> accidentally deleted several frequencies by accident when I've been
in
> a different mode to what I thought.
>
> I'm running Win2k and there have been no problems using the latest
> Alinco software, it reads and writes data to the radio perfectly.
> However, I'm not having as much success with the DJX3-MMU software.
As
> far as I can tell, it's been installed correctly as I don't get any
> errors and I can carry out full and partial resets of the radio.
> However, it seems wrong that it isn't able to read the data from a
> radio, to give it a starting point, so it looks like I'm going to
have
> to take the data from my existing file and hand edit it back into
the
> DJX3-MMU.
>
> I must be missing something really obvious - could someone let me
know
> where the option is to create a new .ser file from a radio?
>
> Cheers,

>
> Dave
>

389. mms software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-04-09 15:10:21 UTC
From: md0dxw
Topic: 389 Message: 389

hello,

help on this would be good please the error i get is "comms error no
such port"
on win xp latest java downloaded djx3 connected to the com1 - com1 is a
working port.
regards

Morgan
MD0DXW

390. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] mms software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-04-09 15:39:35 UTC
From: iain@m0vpe.co.uk
Topic: 389 Message: 390

Hi Morgan,

Have you copied the three support files to the correct directories, eg,

comm.jar -> \Program Files\Java\jre1.5.0_05\lib

javax.comm.properties -> \Program Files\Java\jre1.5.0_05\lib

win32com.dll -> \Program Files\Java\jre1.5.0_05\bin
-> \windows\system32

When the application starts can you select a comm port from the Radio menu?

Cheers, Iain

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-----Original Message-----
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com] On
Behalf Of md0dxw
Sent: 09 April 2007 16:10
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] mms software

hello,

help on this would be good please the error i get is "comms error no
such port"
on win xp latest java downloaded djx3 connected to the com1 - com1 is a
working port.
regards

Morgan
MD0DXW

391. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] mms software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-04-10 15:47:06 UTC
From: W Morgan Griffiths
Topic: 389 Message: 391

Thank you it now works

Kindest regards

Morgan

-----Original Message-----
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of md0dxw
Sent: Monday, April 09, 2007 4:10 PM
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] mms software

hello,

help on this would be good please the error i get is "comms error no such port"
on win xp latest java downloaded djx3 connected to the com1 - com1 is a working port.
regards

Morgan
MD0DXW

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Version: 7.5.446 / Virus Database: 269.0.0/752 - Release Date: 08/04/2007 20:34

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No virus found in this outgoing message.
Checked by AVG Free Edition.
Version: 7.5.446 / Virus Database: 269.0.0/754 - Release Date: 09/04/2007 22:59

392. Re: DJX3-MMU question

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-04-13 16:23:08 UTC
From: dave442439
Topic: 387 Message: 392

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Iain" <iain@...> wrote:
>
> Dave,
>

> The download/upload option is available from the pop-up menu.
>
> Hope this helps
> Iain - M0VPE
>

Thanks for the info Iain,

That was the key info I was missing, I'd not found the pop-up menu.

For the benefit of others who may have the same problem, the menu's found by right-clicking in the app, on the frequency table.

Cheers

Dave

393. Re: Alinco step dial between 97Mhz and 108Mhz

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-04-14 23:22:46 UTC
From: up4it1959
Topic: 267 Message: 393

My DJ-X3E does the same. But the frequencies in this range are
covered by the preset scan frequency ranges. Does this help?

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Conta SoLixo <solixo2004@...>
wrote:
>
> Hi!
>
> The step can be changed on the settings menu: Function Key->Moni
Key. Then you can change the step.
>
> My problem was when the step is in AUTO it jumps 6MHz on some
frequency ranges, namely between 97Mhz and 108Mhz. But if changing
the step from AUTO to say .5 it works ok.
>
> James Ewer <ewerj@...> wrote: I got rid of my "J" model for the
very same reason plus the 9KHZ spacing on AM. As far as I know it
cannot be changed. I have the US version and I like it a lot. The
band plan for continent to continent is different and Alinco thinks
that they must program accordingly. Post if you hear any differently!
>
> solixo2004 <solixo2004@...> wrote: Hi!
>
> I've just bought an Alinco DJ-x3e, and I have a newbie question :)
>
> When I have the frequency step in Auto, around 97Mhz and 108Mhz it
> jumps in 6MHz steps not 0.05 steps on other band ranges. I have to
> change the step configuration from Auto to some value to be able to
> use these bands.
>
> Any ideas?
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>
> Visit your group "alinco-dj-x3" on the web.
>
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394. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Alinco step dial between 97Mhz and 108Mhz

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-04-16 07:49:58 UTC
From: Alejo Varona
Topic: 267 Message: 394

The frequecies between 97MHz and 108MHz are within the band allocated for commercial stereo FM broadcasts (88MHz-108MHz). IMHO the only steps that would make sense there in AUTO mode are 0.1MHz or 0.2MHz since stations are separated 0.2MHz (WideFM).

6MHz jumps are definitely quite akward in that band. I'll appreciate other points of view on this topic though.

--- up4it1959 <up4it1959@...> wrote:

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> this range are
> covered by the preset scan frequency ranges. Does
> this help?
>
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> band plan for continent to continent is different
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> that they must program accordingly. Post if you
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> > alinco-dj-x3-unsubscribe@yahoogroups.com
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395. Re: DJX3-MMU question

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-04-17 14:53:09 UTC
From: Mohd H Misnan
Topic: 387 Message: 395

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "dave442439"
<dave.mcglaughlin@...> wrote:
>
> For the benefit of others who may have the same problem, the menu's
> found by right-clicking in the app, on the frequency table.

Received my programming cable which I bought from ebay today and was
searching up and down on how to download the freq. table to the
radio.. and stumbled upon this thread. Thanks Ian & Dave .. will start
programming mine now .. Just need to understand differences between
the tabs now .. :)

396. Need an Official Clone File for Testing

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-04-22 08:15:25 UTC
From: iain@m0vpe.co.uk
Topic: 396 Message: 396

I'm in the process of updating the DJ-MMU software so it will read and write official Alinco clone files. Has anyone got an official Alinco Clone file they can send me that's got a decent amount of Memory Channels configured etc? Ideally, a file with as much data as possible in it.

Regards,
Iain

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397. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Need an Official Clone File for Testing

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-04-22 11:25:40 UTC
From: Linton
Topic: 396 Message: 397
Attachments: 1 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Hope this will do see attachment

Kind regards

Linton

----- Original Message -----
From: iain@...
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Sunday, April 22, 2007 1:15 AM
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Need an Official Clone File for Testing

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398. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Need an Official Clone File for Testing

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-04-22 11:38:17 UTC
From: iain@m0vpe.co.uk
Topic: 396 Message: 398

Linton,

This is perfect, thanks.

Regards,
Iain

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From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Linton
Sent: 22 April 2007 12:26
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Need an Official Clone File for Testing

Hope this will do see attachment

Kind regards

Linton

----- Original Message -----

From: iain@.... <mailto:iain@...> uk

To: alinco-dj-x3@ <mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com> yahoogroups.com

Sent: Sunday, April 22, 2007 1:15 AM

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399. Global reset DJX3E

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-04-24 21:33:44 UTC
From: pmr156_xira
Topic: 399 Message: 399

Hi, I had made a total reset and now the preset frequencies TV and WFM
are lost, is it possible to get then again?
I heard that TV channels and FM Radio it is not possible to change
them but reset do it?

Thank you for help

400. DJ X£

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-04-25 08:08:12 UTC
From: md0dxw
Topic: 400 Message: 400

I can not get the "Whip" aerial to work - Rx will only work on ear -
have done part and global reset any one got any ideas or could it be a
fault on the ear phone socket?
regards
Morgan

401. Alinco Antanna Fault

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-04-26 18:15:08 UTC
From: md0dxw
Topic: 401 Message: 401

I took the bull by the horns and opened the scanner - bit fidley and found the conector wire to the smc had come off - soldered it back and DJX and owner happy..........

402. Re: Global reset DJX3E

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-05-02 21:32:08 UTC
From: pmr156_xira
Topic: 399 Message: 402

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "pmr156_xira" <pmr156_xira@...>
wrote:
>
> Hi, I had made a total reset and now the preset frequencies TV and WFM
> are lost, is it possible to get then again?
> I heard that TV channels and FM Radio it is not possible to change
> them but reset do it?
>
> Thank you for help
>
Solved!!! Build PC interface and load a file with this frequencies

Is OK now

403. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Global reset DJX3E

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-05-03 07:47:10 UTC
From: Alejo Varona
Topic: 399 Message: 403

I'm interested not on those but on the ones in the
J-banks (skip frequencies) by default.
Do you have them?

--- pmr156_xira <pmr156_xira@...> wrote:

> --- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "pmr156_xira"
> <pmr156_xira@...>
> wrote:
> >
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>

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404. SW for DJX7

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-05-08 21:07:28 UTC
From: iuverian
Topic: 404 Message: 404

Hello,
I've recently bought an alinco DJX7 and I've tried to use the pc
software. First I'm esxperiencing a problem entering the frequency.
Perhaps it is due to my european computer keybord but I can't write the
comma.
Second after using the software I've found a new memory bank
called "bug" with 22 frequencies. Does anybody know what is this stuff.
Is a software manual available?
Thanks for the answers
Gio

405. alinco software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-06-11 16:00:13 UTC
From: whoodat
Topic: 405 Message: 405

Is there a forum or tutorial on using the alinco software to upload frequencies?

406. Re: alinco software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-06-11 21:42:57 UTC
From: pmr156_xira
Topic: 405 Message: 406

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "whoodat" <whoodat@...> wrote:
>
> Is there a forum or tutorial on using the alinco software to upload
> frequencies?
>
This group?
1 - Pc interface (cable to ICOM DJ3 compatible, from Markus -tks)
found in files of this group
2 - software instaled

you can download the information stored in your radio, change it an
then save it to the radio, page by page or all, or made your own
configuration.
works fine with my home made small pc interface

A.

407. Can't get computer to comm. with scanner?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-07-29 17:26:05 UTC
From: merlin_20832
Topic: 407 Message: 407

I have the Alinco software on my computer running XP. I have it connected with an after market Interface cable ICOM OPC-478. The driver is loaded, etc. I set up the scanner in clone mode, hit read all data or page and the software disappears from my screen and the scanner display says OK. The comm. port setting is also correct. Any ideas?
Thanks.
Merlin

408. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Can't get computer to comm. with scanner?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-07-29 20:29:11 UTC
From: Mike
Topic: 407 Message: 408

Do NOT put the scanner in clone mode because the software will do that for you.

-----Original Message-----

... I set up the scanner in clone mode, hit read
all data or page and the software disappears from my screen and the
scanner display says OK...

409. Re: Can't get computer to comm. with scanner?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-07-29 22:11:04 UTC
From: merlin_20832
Topic: 407 Message: 409

Assuming the scanner should be on I still get a comm error when I do that.

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Mike" <mike@...> wrote:
>
> Do NOT put the scanner in clone mode because the software will do
that for
> you.
>
> -----Original Message-----
>
> ... I set up the scanner in clone mode, hit read
> all data or page and the software disappears from my screen and the
> scanner display says OK...
>

410. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Can't get computer to comm. with scanner?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-07-29 22:53:09 UTC
From: Linton Gormley
Topic: 407 Message: 410

Are you using a usb to serial converter?
If so this is the reason it is not working.

To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.comFrom: merlin_20832@...e: Sun, 29 Jul 2007 22:11:04 +0000Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Can't get computer to comm. with scanner?

Assuming the scanner should be on I still get a comm error when I do that.--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Mike" <mike@...> wrote:>> Do NOT put the scanner in clone mode because the software will dothat for> you.> > -----Original Message-----> > ... I set up the scanner in clone mode, hit read> all data or page and the software disappears from my screen and the> scanner display says OK...>

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411. Re: Can't get computer to comm. with scanner?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-07-29 23:04:55 UTC
From: merlin_20832
Topic: 407 Message: 411

It's a USB cable. I guess I should get the serial cable? Where the
best place to buy one?

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Linton Gormley
<lintongormley@...> wrote:
>
> Are you using a usb to serial converter?
> If so this is the reason it is not working.
>
>
> To: alinco-dj-x3@...: merlin_20832@...: Sun, 29 Jul 2007 22:11:04
+0000Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Can't get computer to comm. with scanner?
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from my screen and the> scanner display says OK...>
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412. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Can't get computer to comm. with scanner?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-07-30 07:41:53 UTC
From: Alejo Varona
Topic: 407 Message: 412

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a good search string. Mine works with a USB-Serial
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Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-07-30 13:52:22 UTC
From: merlin_20832
Topic: 407 Message: 413

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414. About problems using DJ-X3 computer interface cables

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-08-07 21:23:06 UTC
From: Alejo Varona
Topic: 414 Message: 414

Hi all,
Just for the record, some thoughts on incompatibilites found when using computer interface cables.

1.- RS-232
The RS-232 is the standard that defines how the PC serial communication port works. Among other things it defines the logic significance of voltage levels. In a nutshell: everything above 3V is taken as a logic 0 and everything under -3V is takes as a logic 1 (it uses "negative logic").

In my experience however I have found many serial ports with working values of +5V and 0V (standard TTL values), so I presume the controlled equipment should take every under 3V minus some milivolts as logic 1s. As the old motto says: you can break a standard if the counterpart actually expects it broken in the same way.

2.- USB and USB-to-Serial converters.
PCs don't come theses days with serial ports. USB has taken over, therefore compatibility issues must be tackled by using USB-to-Serial adaptors. But that's ok because they come with a driver that makes you think you have a COMx port where x=1,2,3,....

3.- Voltage issues.
It has come to my attention that since USB-to-Serial chipsets keep shrinking they happen too to work at lower voltages. That is, they issue logic 0s as +3V and 1s as 0V in breach again of the original RS-232 specs. But that's nothing new since the times of +5V-0V values (0V is underfined according to the RS-232 specs). As far as the connected equipment understands those values you are safe.

4.- Problems
Problems may arise when presenting 3V-0V signals to DJ-X3 conputer interface cables. I don't actually know what type of voltage values does the DJ-X3 expect, but knowing that everything under 3V is undefined there is very little slack for voltage losses, if the DJ-X3 is vert sensitive at those levels, then problems are knocking the door. So I presume that's why some people report problems when using the computer interface

cables or even some RS-232 serial communication ports.
Readings with a voltmeter of the suspicous equipment
will help pretty much to clarify things.

5.- Solutions.
The problems stated above may be solved by
acommodating the voltage levels of the USB-to-Serial
adapters or even the PC serial ports that do not
comply with the standard. All that before connection
the DJ-X3 interface calble. Since RS-232 lines are
unidirectional, a combination of a single bipolar
transistor and a pull-down resistor for each line
should do the work. A 9V battery should suffice. But
if that is too much of a mess for you, there is always
the good old MAX232.

Hope it helps.

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415. Safe values at RF IN

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-08-16 21:18:45 UTC
From: Alejo Varona
Topic: 415 Message: 415

Hi all,
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RF IN connector?
That is, what is the largest recommended Vpp value of
an electrical signal that is going to be fed to the
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416. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Safe values at RF IN

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-08-17 10:04:31 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 415 Message: 416
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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417. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Safe values at RF IN

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-08-19 15:07:59 UTC
From: Alejo Varona
Topic: 415 Message: 417

Hi Markus,
First of all, thanks for the answer.

The thing is that I'm building a QFHA for the space downlink at around 435 MHz. The advantage is that I don't have to point the antenna at the bird, but on the other hand I miss gain, hence the need of the preamp. Yes, the schematic I'm working with contains an output band filter and only 1 FET (12dBs, 3dB NF). After reading you email I'm thinking on adding an extra pair of germanium diodes for protection.

In any case I was in the blue on the topic so I couldn't avoid to drop the question. Thanks again for the info.

--- Markus Baertschi <markus@...> wrote:

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Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-08-19 21:14:05 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 415 Message: 418
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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419. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Safe values at RF IN

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-08-20 09:42:45 UTC
From: Alejo Varona
Topic: 415 Message: 419

Like the bunch of weather stations that surround my
crib... You got a point there, Markus.
You can bet I'm putting a proper input bandpass filter
for that...

--- Markus Baertschi <markus@...> wrote:

> Hi Alejo,
>
> for this use I would not worry too much about
> breaking the DJ-X3.
> The most useful addition would be a band-pass for
> the 435 Mhz at
> the input of the preamp. Otherwise it could be that
> some of those
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420. Lost Antenna

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-09-05 11:11:29 UTC
From: cybe100777
Topic: 420 Message: 420

Hi everyone,

I lost my antenna and wondering what kind to get instead. A shop recommended:

HOTLINE HL-H647S Tx: 144/430MHz Rx: 100-600MHz SMA 36cm

(the also have: HOTLINE HL-H812S Tx: 144/430MHz Rx: 100-600MHz SMA 22cm

I'm wondering if it's ok. 100-600mhz? The Dj-X3 coverage is up to 1300 MHz.

Thanks for the help in advance...

421. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Lost Antenna

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-09-05 12:23:25 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 420 Message: 421

The Antennas you mention are optimized for the 144/430Mhz HAM bands.
The means they will receive (& transmit) these frequencies especially well.
It is not a problem for other frequencies, though. In general I'd say the bigger
the better (with the exception of very high frequencies).

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If this is concentrated in a specific band You could try to get an antenna
tuned for that band. There are antennas you can tune yourself, though.

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are around 1/2 of the wavelength in size (144Mhz = 2m Wavelength, 430Mhz
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422. Re: Lost Antenna

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-09-05 12:32:40 UTC
From: cybe100777
Topic: 420 Message: 422

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423. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Lost Antenna

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-09-06 19:23:20 UTC
From: James Ewer
Topic: 420 Message: 423

The antenna length for 1300mhz is only a few centimeters so how well did the original conform anyway. You can switch to headphone or internal bar for some of the bands any way. I think the replacement you are looking at will work as well as the original.

----- Original Message ----
From: cybe100777 <100777@...>
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Wednesday, September 5, 2007 7:11:29 AM
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Lost Antenna

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424. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Lost Antenna

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-09-07 03:38:56 UTC
From: Raymond McKeever
Topic: 420 Message: 424

I have used 144/440 Ham antennas on my Icom q7a + Kenwood TH F6A too listen too frequencies outside the Ham Bands 100 - 1300 mhz and found little difference when using the original Alinco Dj X3 antenna on the Dj X3. Check Ebay.. they have some cheap 144/440 Nagoya antennas with SMA connectors pretty cheap like 10 - 15 $, you could try one cheap and see if it works OK. I am using one now on a 144 mhs (2meter) rig and seen an improvement over the stock antenna. Experiment...you might be surprised..

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425. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Lost Antenna

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-09-07 08:46:29 UTC
From: Alejo Varona
Topic: 420 Message: 425

I concur.
Band specific antennas for 2m and 70cm band (pigtails,
whips) have worked better for me than the original
djx3 stock antenna.
On top of that the 5kHz minimum tuning step and the
lack of ssb demodulation do not allow you to properly
listen to the lower HF amateur band so I don't
actually see the need need for a "wideband" antenna.
Nagoya's for 10 or 15 bucks are worth a try.

--- Raymond McKeever <kb4omo@...> wrote:

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426. F/A Alinco DJ-X3 unblocked

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-09-11 00:02:26 UTC
From: merlin_20832
Topic: 426 Message: 426

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=260158984933&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT&ih=016
Thanks for looking.
Merlin

427. Alinco DJ-X3 For Sale & Programming Cable & Software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-09-24 12:53:15 UTC
From: steve_jackson2002
Topic: 427 Message: 427

Alinco DJ-X3 For Sale

App three months old, Bought this as a present for a friend, But he never seemed to get into it, so I have ended up with it back.

As new not a Mark on it
Comes with Programming Cable & Software
4 Ni Cad batteries and charger

I have the book Printed out in A4 size as well as pdf on cd - rom and lots of software

Open to offers

Cheers Steve

428. USB programming Cables

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-11-07 19:16:05 UTC
From: ve3cvs
Topic: 428 Message: 428

Let me know if you are interested in USB programming cable and we will look at designing and building them.

info@...

Guenther
General Manager
Degen Designs

429. Problem With Aerial

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-11-13 23:08:16 UTC
From: James Roberts
Topic: 429 Message: 429

Hi all, when I screwed my aerial into the socket on the top of my scanner earlier on, the pin snapped off and is now stuck in the scanner.

Whilst it still works (just about), the sound is now very distorted and I'm finding it hard to understand what is being said without holding the aerial in place.

Is there any way of getting the pin out myself, or would I have to get it done somewhere else?

Thanks, James.

430. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Problem With Aerial

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-11-14 01:11:17 UTC
From: ewerj@sbcglobal.net
Topic: 429 Message: 430

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Good luck

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From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of James Roberts
Sent: Tuesday, November 13, 2007 6:08 PM
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Problem With Aerial

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Thanks, James.

431. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Problem With Aerial

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-11-15 17:08:52 UTC
From: James Roberts
Topic: 429 Message: 431

Thanks. There is a small bit of the pin exposed. I'll have to go to B&Q to get some super glue first.

Regards, James.

To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.comFrom: ewerj@...: Tue, 13 Nov 2007 20:11:17 -0500Subject: RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Problem With Aerial

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432. alinco djx3e how to use the programming cable?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-11-25 00:35:11 UTC
From: ajax3647
Topic: 432 Message: 432

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have i got a duff cable?
am i doing something wrong?
any help would be much appreciated,
thank you

433. Re: alinco djx3e how to use the programming cable?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-11-25 00:39:26 UTC
From: ajax3647
Topic: 432 Message: 433

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "ajax3647" <ajax81@...> wrote:
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also,
i have just tried to connect on com port 2 and the djx3 said ok on the
screen then i got a communication error error:1 then cannot find djx3
>

434. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] alinco djx3e how to use the programming cable?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-11-25 07:54:25 UTC
From: Alejo Varona
Topic: 432 Message: 434

What cable did you buy?
Are you using a USB-to-Serial port adapter?

--- ajax3647 <ajax81@...> wrote:

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435. Re: alinco djx3e how to use the programming cable?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-11-25 18:05:01 UTC
From: ajax3647
Topic: 432 Message: 435

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its not an origional alinco lead (bought from radioarena ebay shop)
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thanks,

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You will find that when you purchase our programming cable you will possibly never need to replace it. This cable is extensively tested at time of manufacture to be free of defects. This cable does not include any manuals or instructions for use. Therefore, it will be assumed that the purchaser is knowledgeable in using the cable for the applications it is designed for. Please note that we supply the hardware only, we can not supply software. "

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436. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: alinco djx3e how to use the programming cable?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-11-25 18:54:59 UTC
From: Alejo Varona
Topic: 432 Message: 436

Go to the group's "Files" section and download the
DJ-X3 MMU utility. It's a java application that works
better than Alinco's clone utility.
If it works, report it here and blame me for wondering
about the cable.

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437. Re: alinco djx3e how to use the programming cable?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-11-26 00:17:21 UTC
From: ajax3647
Topic: 432 Message: 437

hi,
i tried using the dj-x3mmu software but as soon as i try to start it i
just get an error log
"hs_err_pid3136"
which contains:
#
An unexpected error has been detected by Java Runtime Environment:
#
# EXCEPTION_FLT_STACK_CHECK (0xc0000092) at pc=0x00dbcea9, pid=3136,
tid=1580
#
Java VM: Java HotSpot(TM) Client VM (1.6.0_03-b05 mixed mode)
Problematic frame:
v ~RuntimeStub::resolve_opt_virtual_call
#
If you would like to submit a bug report, please visit:
http://java.sun.com/webapps/bugreport/crash.jsp
#

--------------- T H R E A D ---------------

Current thread (0x003a6c00): JavaThread "main" [_thread_in_Java, id=1580]

siginfo: ExceptionCode=0xc0000092, ExceptionInformation=0x00000000
0x0012ded4

Registers:
EAX=0x06e682a8, EBX=0x06e682a8, ECX=0x02e4dc88, EDX=0x00000011
ESP=0x0012de68, EBP=0x0012df78, ESI=0x02e4dc88, EDI=0x00000010
EIP=0x00dbcea9, EFLAGS=0x00010212

Top of Stack: (sp=0x0012de68)
0x0012de68: ffff1372 ffff0022 ffffffff 00da03a9
0x0012de78: 0356001b 0012e898 ffff0023 0018ffb8
0x0012de88: 026dd720 00000050 00000000 00000000
0x0012de98: 00000044 00700041 00610070 00690074
0x0012dea8: 006e006f 0065006c 004d0000 00000046
0x0012deb8: 5be00000 4005c805 00000000 c0000000
0x0012dec8: 00004003 40000000 4014e90c 06f5715e
0x0012ded8: 0012df08 06f57cd8 00000000 06f571a8

Instructions: (pc=0x00dbcea9)
0x00dbce99: 00 00 83 ec 6c dd 34 24 9b dd 24 24 dd 5c 24 6c
0x00dbcea9: dd 5c 24 74 dd 5c 24 7c dd 9c 24 84 00 00 00 dd

Stack: [0x00030000,0x00130000), sp=0x0012de68, free space=1015k
Native frames: (J=compiled Java code, j=interpreted, Vv=VM code,

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C=native code)
v ~RuntimeStub::resolve_opt_virtual_call
J
java.lang.AbstractStringBuilder.append(C)Ljava/lang/AbstractStringBuilder;
j java.lang.StringBuilder.append(C)Ljava/lang/StringBuilder;+2
j sun.net.www.ParseUtil.decode(Ljava/lang/String;)Ljava/lang/String;+182
j sun.misc.FileURLMapper.getPath()Ljava/lang/String;+130
j sun.misc.FileURLMapper.exists()Z+1
j
sun.misc.URLClassPath$JarLoader.getJarFile(Ljava/net/URL;)Ljava/util/jar/JarFile;+18
j
sun.misc.URLClassPath$JarLoader.access$600(Lsun/misc/URLClassPath$JarLoader;Ljava/net/URL;
)Ljava/util/jar/JarFile;+2
j sun.misc.URLClassPath$JarLoader$1.run()Ljava/lang/Object;+55
v ~StubRoutines::call_stub

--------------- P R O C E S S ---------------

Java Threads: ( => current thread )
0x0af39800 JavaThread "Low Memory Detector" daemon [_thread_blocked,
id=3264]
0x0af38000 JavaThread "CompilerThread0" daemon [_thread_blocked,
id=2292]
0x0af37000 JavaThread "Attach Listener" daemon [_thread_blocked,
id=3688]
0x0af36000 JavaThread "Signal Dispatcher" daemon [_thread_blocked,
id=3184]
0x0af28400 JavaThread "Finalizer" daemon [_thread_blocked, id=2396]
0x0af24000 JavaThread "Reference Handler" daemon [_thread_blocked,
id=2936]
=>0x003a6c00 JavaThread "main" [_thread_in_Java, id=1580]

Other Threads:
0x0af1f400 VMThread [id=276]
0x0af3b000 WatcherThread [id=3140]

VM state:not at safepoint (normal execution)

VM Mutex/Monitor currently owned by a thread: None

Heap
def new generation total 960K, used 255K [0x02e10000, 0x02f10000,
0x032f0000)
eden
[error occurred during error reporting, step 190, id 0xc0000092]

Dynamic libraries:
0x00400000 - 0x0042d000 C:\Documents and
Settings\ajax\Desktop\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU.exe
0x7c900000 - 0x7c9b0000 C:\WINDOWS\system32\ntdll.dll
0x7c800000 - 0x7c8f5000 C:\WINDOWS\system32\kernel32.dll
0x77dd0000 - 0x77e6b000 C:\WINDOWS\system32\ADVAPI32.DLL
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0x77e70000 - 0x77f02000 C:\WINDOWS\system32\RPCRT4.dll
0x77fe0000 - 0x77ff1000 C:\WINDOWS\system32\Secur32.dll
0x71ad0000 - 0x71ad9000 C:\WINDOWS\system32\WSOCK32.DLL
0x71ab0000 - 0x71ac7000 C:\WINDOWS\system32\WS2_32.dll
0x77c10000 - 0x77c68000 C:\WINDOWS\system32\msvcrt.dll
0x71aa0000 - 0x71aa8000 C:\WINDOWS\system32\WS2HELP.dll
0x7e410000 - 0x7e4a0000 C:\WINDOWS\system32\USER32.DLL
0x77f10000 - 0x77f57000 C:\WINDOWS\system32\GDI32.dll
0x6d7c0000 - 0x6da0a000 C:\Program
Files\Java\jre1.6.0_03\bin\client\jvm.dll
0x76b40000 - 0x76b6d000 C:\WINDOWS\system32\WINMM.dll
0x7c340000 - 0x7c396000 C:\WINDOWS\system32\MSVCR71.dll
0x6d310000 - 0x6d318000 C:\Program Files\Java\jre1.6.0_03\bin\hpi.dll
0x76bf0000 - 0x76bfb000 C:\WINDOWS\system32\PSAPI.DLL
0x6d770000 - 0x6d77c000 C:\Program Files\Java\jre1.6.0_03\bin\verify.dll
0x6d3b0000 - 0x6d3cf000 C:\Program Files\Java\jre1.6.0_03\bin\java.dll
0x6d7b0000 - 0x6d7bf000 C:\Program Files\Java\jre1.6.0_03\bin\zip.dll

VM Arguments:
jvm_args: -Dlauncher.config.bootclasspath=C:\Documents and
Settings\ajax\Desktop\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU.exe
-Xbootclasspath/p:C:\Documents and
Settings\ajax\Desktop\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU.exe
-Dlauncher.program=C:\Documents and
Settings\ajax\Desktop\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU.exe
-Dborland.executable.path=C:\Documents and
Settings\ajax\Desktop\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU.exe exit
java_command: <unknown>
Launcher Type: generic

Environment Variables:
PATH=C:\WINDOWS\system32;C:\WINDOWS;C:\WINDOWS\System32\Wbem;C:\Program
Files\ATI Technologies\ATI Control Panel;C:\Program Files\Smart
Projects\IsoBuster
USERNAME=ajax
OS=Windows_NT
PROCESSOR_IDENTIFIER=x86 Family 15 Model 4 Stepping 7, GenuineIntel

--------------- S Y S T E M ---------------

OS: Windows XP Build 2600 Service Pack 2

CPU:total 2 (2 cores per cpu, 1 threads per core) family 15 model 4
stepping 7, cmov, cx8, fxsr, mmx, sse, sse2, sse3

Memory: 4k page, physical 916840k(482696k free), swap
2938900k(2537500k free)

vm_info: Java HotSpot(TM) Client VM (1.6.0_03-b05) for windows-x86,
built on Sep 24 2007 22:24:33 by "java_re" with unknown MS VC++:1310
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438. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: alinco djx3e how to use the programming cable?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-11-26 17:59:58 UTC
From: Iain Stirzaker
Topic: 432 Message: 438

Hi,

Are you running Windows Vista by any chance?

Regards,
Iain

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From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of ajax3647
Sent: 26 November 2007 00:17
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--------------- T H R E A D ---------------

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EIP=0x00dbcea9, EFLAGS=0x00010212

Top of Stack: (sp=0x0012de68)
0x0012de68: ffff1372 ffff0022 ffffffff 00da03a9
0x0012de78: 0356001b 0012e898 ffff0023 0018ffb8
0x0012de88: 026dd720 00000050 00000000 00000000
0x0012de98: 00000044 00700041 00610070 00690074
0x0012dea8: 006e006f 0065006c 004d0000 00000046
0x0012deb8: 5be00000 4005c805 00000000 c0000000
0x0012dec8: 00004003 40000000 4014e90c 06f5715e
0x0012ded8: 0012df08 06f57cd8 00000000 06f571a8

Instructions: (pc=0x00dbcea9)
0x00dbce99: 00 00 83 ec 6c dd 34 24 9b dd 24 24 dd 5c 24 6c
0x00dbcea9: dd 5c 24 74 dd 5c 24 7c dd 9c 24 84 00 00 00 dd

Stack: [0x00030000,0x00130000), sp=0x0012de68, free space=1015k
Native frames: (J=compiled Java code, j=interpreted, Vv=VM code,
C=native code)
v ~RuntimeStub::resolve_opt_virtual_call
J
java.lang.AbstractStringBuilder.append(C)Ljava/lang/AbstractStringBuilder;
j java.lang.StringBuilder.append(C)Ljava/lang/StringBuilder;+2
j sun.net.www.ParseUtil.decode(Ljava/lang/String;)Ljava/lang/String;+182
j sun.misc.FileURLMapper.getPath()Ljava/lang/String;+130
j sun.misc.FileURLMapper.exists()Z+1
j
sun.misc.URLClassPath$JarLoader.getJarFile(Ljava/net/URL;)Ljava/util/jar/Jar
File;+18
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sun.misc.URLClassPath$JarLoader.access$600(Lsun/misc/URLClassPath$JarLoader;
Ljava/net/URL;)Ljava/util/jar/JarFile;+2
j sun.misc.URLClassPath$JarLoader$1.run()Ljava/lang/Object;+55
v ~StubRoutines::call_stub

--------------- P R O C E S S ---------------

Java Threads: ( => current thread )
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0x0af24000 JavaThread "Reference Handler" daemon [_thread_blocked,
id=2936]
=>0x003a6c00 JavaThread "main" [_thread_in_Java, id=1580]
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Other Threads:
0x0af1f400 VMThread [id=276]
0x0af3b000 WatcherThread [id=3140]

VM state:not at safepoint (normal execution)

VM Mutex/Monitor currently owned by a thread: None

Heap
def new generation total 960K, used 255K [0x02e10000, 0x02f10000,
0x032f0000)
eden
[error occurred during error reporting, step 190, id 0xc0000092]

Dynamic libraries:
0x00400000 - 0x0042d000 C:\Documents and
Settings\ajax\Desktop\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU.exe
0x7c900000 - 0x7c9b0000 C:\WINDOWS\system32\ntdll.dll
0x7c800000 - 0x7c8f5000 C:\WINDOWS\system32\kernel32.dll
0x77dd0000 - 0x77e6b000 C:\WINDOWS\system32\ADVAPI32.DLL
0x77e70000 - 0x77f02000 C:\WINDOWS\system32\RPCRT4.dll
0x77fe0000 - 0x77ff1000 C:\WINDOWS\system32\Secur32.dll
0x71ad0000 - 0x71ad9000 C:\WINDOWS\system32\WSOCK32.DLL
0x71ab0000 - 0x71ac7000 C:\WINDOWS\system32\WS2_32.dll
0x77c10000 - 0x77c68000 C:\WINDOWS\system32\msvcrt.dll
0x71aa0000 - 0x71aa8000 C:\WINDOWS\system32\WS2HELP.dll
0x7e410000 - 0x7e4a0000 C:\WINDOWS\system32\USER32.DLL
0x77f10000 - 0x77f57000 C:\WINDOWS\system32\GDI32.dll
0x6d7c0000 - 0x6da0a000 C:\Program
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0x6d770000 - 0x6d77c000 C:\Program Files\Java\jre1.6.0_03\bin\verify.dll
0x6d3b0000 - 0x6d3cf000 C:\Program Files\Java\jre1.6.0_03\bin\java.dll
0x6d7b0000 - 0x6d7bf000 C:\Program Files\Java\jre1.6.0_03\bin\zip.dll

VM Arguments:
jvm_args: -Dlauncher.config.bootclasspath=C:\Documents and
Settings\ajax\Desktop\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU.exe
-Xbootclasspath/p:C:\Documents and
Settings\ajax\Desktop\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU.exe
-Dlauncher.program=C:\Documents and
Settings\ajax\Desktop\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU.exe
-Dborland.executable.path=C:\Documents and
Settings\ajax\Desktop\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU.exe exit
java_command: <unknown>
Launcher Type: generic

Environment Variables:
PATH=C:\WINDOWS\system32;C:\WINDOWS;C:\WINDOWS\System32\Wbem;C:\Program
Files\ATI Technologies\ATI Control Panel;C:\Program Files\Smart
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```
Projects\IsoBuster
USERNAME=ajax
OS=Windows_NT
PROCESSOR_IDENTIFIER=x86 Family 15 Model 4 Stepping 7, GenuineIntel

--------------- S Y S T E M ---------------

OS: Windows XP Build 2600 Service Pack 2

CPU:total 2 (2 cores per cpu, 1 threads per core) family 15 model 4
stepping 7, cmov, cx8, fxsr, mmx, sse, sse2, sse3

Memory: 4k page, physical 916840k(482696k free), swap
2938900k(2537500k free)

vm_info: Java HotSpot(TM) Client VM (1.6.0_03-b05) for windows-x86,
built on Sep 24 2007 22:24:33 by "java_re" with unknown MS VC++:1310
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439. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: alinco djx3e how to use the programming cable?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-11-26 18:16:05 UTC
From: lintongormley@hotmail.com
Topic: 432 Message: 439

Some facts about the Alinco software.

I have never had any success using a USB port with a usb to serial converter.
We have loads of different models and cables here at work, I have tried them all, they don't work together with the official Alinco software.

It will only work on a real serial port.
The timing gets all screwed up. I have tried every to tweek every setting possible.
No amount of complaining or asking Alinco to fix the problem has any effect.
Customer support from Alinco does not exist.

If you really desperate, put together a old junk PC with real serials just for radio programming, everything will work fine.

And if you are using the Java custom version, make sure you have the correct version of Java installed.
Just having the latest version will not do.

If the code was written for say Ver 6 then install ver 6 even if you have already have ver 7 or what ever.

Good Luck

Linton.

From: ajax3647
Sent: Saturday, November 24, 2007 4:39 PM
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: alinco djx3e how to use the programming cable?

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "ajax3647" <ajax81@...> wrote:
>
> i recently purchased a programming cable fo my djx3 but when i
> connect my djx3 to the pc and try and set up the com ports within
> alinco clone utility it says no djx3 found or invalid port number, i
> have tried all the ports in the options but none seem to work,
> have i got a duff cable?
> am i doing something wrong?
> any help would be much appreciated,
> thank you
also,
i have just tried to connect on com port 2 and the djx3 said ok on the
screen then i got a communication error error:1 then cannot find djx3
>

440. Re: alinco djx3e how to use the programming cable?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-11-26 23:22:13 UTC
From: ajax3647
Topic: 432 Message: 440

hi,
no im using windows xp service pack 2
thanks,

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Iain Stirzaker <istirzak@...> wrote:
>
> Hi,
>
>
>
> Are you running Windows Vista by any chance?
>
> Regards,
> Iain
>
> M0VPE
>
> _____
>
> From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
[mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com] On
> Behalf Of ajax3647
> Sent: 26 November 2007 00:17
> To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: alinco djx3e how to use the programming
cable?
>
>
>
> hi,
> i tried using the dj-x3mmu software but as soon as i try to start it i
> just get an error log
> "hs_err_pid3136"
> which contains:
> #
> # An unexpected error has been detected by Java Runtime Environment:
> #
> # EXCEPTION_FLT_STACK_CHECK (0xc0000092) at pc=0x00dbcea9, pid=3136,
> tid=1580
> #
> # Java VM: Java HotSpot(TM) Client VM (1.6.0_03-b05 mixed mode)
> # Problematic frame:
> # v ~RuntimeStub::resolve_opt_virtual_call
> #
> # If you would like to submit a bug report, please visit:

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> # http://java. <http://java.sun.com/webapps/bugreport/crash.jsp>
> sun.com/webapps/bugreport/crash.jsp
> #
>
> --------------- T H R E A D ---------------
>
> Current thread (0x003a6c00): JavaThread "main" [_thread_in_Java,
id=1580]
>
> siginfo: ExceptionCode=0xc0000092, ExceptionInformation=0x00000000
> 0x0012ded4
>
> Registers:
> EAX=0x06e682a8, EBX=0x06e682a8, ECX=0x02e4dc88, EDX=0x00000011
> ESP=0x0012de68, EBP=0x0012df78, ESI=0x02e4dc88, EDI=0x00000010
> EIP=0x00dbcea9, EFLAGS=0x00010212
>
> Top of Stack: (sp=0x0012de68)
> 0x0012de68: ffff1372 ffff0022 ffffffff 00da03a9
> 0x0012de78: 0356001b 0012e898 ffff0023 0018ffb8
> 0x0012de88: 026dd720 00000050 00000000 00000000
> 0x0012de98: 00000044 00700041 00610070 00690074
> 0x0012dea8: 006e006f 0065006c 004d0000 00000046
> 0x0012deb8: 5be00000 4005c805 00000000 c0000000
> 0x0012dec8: 00004003 40000000 4014e90c 06f5715e
> 0x0012ded8: 0012df08 06f57cd8 00000000 06f571a8
>
> Instructions: (pc=0x00dbcea9)
> 0x00dbce99: 00 00 83 ec 6c dd 34 24 9b dd 24 24 dd 5c 24 6c
> 0x00dbcea9: dd 5c 24 74 dd 5c 24 7c dd 9c 24 84 00 00 00 dd
>
> Stack: [0x00030000,0x00130000), sp=0x0012de68, free space=1015k
> Native frames: (J=compiled Java code, j=interpreted, Vv=VM code,
> C=native code)
> v ~RuntimeStub::resolve_opt_virtual_call
> J
>
java.lang.AbstractStringBuilder.append(C)Ljava/lang/AbstractStringBuilder;
> j java.lang.StringBuilder.append(C)Ljava/lang/StringBuilder;+2
> j sun.net.www.ParseUtil.decode(Ljava/lang/String;)Ljava/lang/String;+182
> j sun.misc.FileURLMapper.getPath()Ljava/lang/String;+130
> j sun.misc.FileURLMapper.exists()Z+1
> j
>
sun.misc.URLClassPath$JarLoader.getJarFile(Ljava/net/URL;)Ljava/util/jar/Jar
> File;+18
> j
>
sun.misc.URLClassPath$JarLoader.access$600(Lsun/misc/URLClassPath$JarLoader;
> Ljava/net/URL;)Ljava/util/jar/JarFile;+2
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> j sun.misc.URLClassPath$JarLoader$1.run()Ljava/lang/Object;+55
> v ~StubRoutines::call_stub
>
> --------------- P R O C E S S ---------------
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> Java Threads: ( => current thread )
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> Other Threads:
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> VM Mutex/Monitor currently owned by a thread: None
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> 0x6d3b0000 - 0x6d3cf000 C:\Program Files\Java\jre1.6.0_03\bin\java.dll
> 0x6d7b0000 - 0x6d7bf000 C:\Program Files\Java\jre1.6.0_03\bin\zip.dll
>
> VM Arguments:
> jvm_args: -Dlauncher.config.bootclasspath=C:\Documents and
> Settings\ajax\Desktop\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU.exe
> -Xbootclasspath/p:C:\Documents and
> Settings\ajax\Desktop\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU.exe
> -Dlauncher.program=C:\Documents and
> Settings\ajax\Desktop\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU.exe
> -Dborland.executable.path=C:\Documents and
> Settings\ajax\Desktop\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU.exe exit
> java_command: <unknown>
> Launcher Type: generic
>
> Environment Variables:
> PATH=C:\WINDOWS\system32;C:\WINDOWS;C:\WINDOWS\System32\Wbem;C:\Program
> Files\ATI Technologies\ATI Control Panel;C:\Program Files\Smart
> Projects\IsoBuster
> USERNAME=ajax
> OS=Windows_NT
> PROCESSOR_IDENTIFIER=x86 Family 15 Model 4 Stepping 7, GenuineIntel
>
> --------------- S Y S T E M ---------------
>
> OS: Windows XP Build 2600 Service Pack 2
>
> CPU:total 2 (2 cores per cpu, 1 threads per core) family 15 model 4
> stepping 7, cmov, cx8, fxsr, mmx, sse, sse2, sse3
>
> Memory: 4k page, physical 916840k(482696k free), swap
> 2938900k(2537500k free)
>
> vm_info: Java HotSpot(TM) Client VM (1.6.0_03-b05) for windows-x86,
> built on Sep 24 2007 22:24:33 by "java_re" with unknown MS VC++:1310
>

441. Re: alinco djx3e how to use the programming cable?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-11-26 23:32:59 UTC
From: ajax3647
Topic: 432 Message: 441

hi,
i am using the erc 4w serial cable,
i had a look in the raed me for the mmu utility but it dosent seem to say what version of java to use, i am running jre1.60-03
thanks,

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, <lintongormley@...> wrote:
>
> Some facts about the Alinco software.
>

> I have never had any success using a USB port with a usb to serial converter.
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>
> Good Luck
>
> Linton.
>
>
> From: ajax3647
> Sent: Saturday, November 24, 2007 4:39 PM
> To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
> Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: alinco djx3e how to use the programming cable?
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> screen then i got a communication error error:1 then cannot find djx3
> >
>

442. Re: alinco djx3e how to use the programming cable?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-11-27 00:03:32 UTC
From: ajax3647
Topic: 432 Message: 442

i have now got the mmu utility to start up but it says check your
cable and make sure radio is in clone mode,
it is in clone mode and the cabe is connected correctly,
i copied the 3 files like it says in the instructions,
i now have jre1.5.0_14 installed
thank you.

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Iain Stirzaker <istirzak@...> wrote:
>
> Hi,
>
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> Are you running Windows Vista by any chance?
>
> Regards,
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> 0x0012de98: 00000044 00700041 00610070 00690074
> 0x0012dea8: 006e006f 0065006c 004d0000 00000046
> 0x0012deb8: 5be00000 4005c805 00000000 c0000000
> 0x0012dec8: 00004003 40000000 4014e90c 06f5715e
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>
> Instructions: (pc=0x00dbcea9)
> 0x00dbce99: 00 00 83 ec 6c dd 34 24 9b dd 24 24 dd 5c 24 6c
> 0x00dbcea9: dd 5c 24 74 dd 5c 24 7c dd 9c 24 84 00 00 00 dd
>
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> j sun.misc.FileURLMapper.getPath()Ljava/lang/String;+130
> j sun.misc.FileURLMapper.exists()Z+1
> j
>
sun.misc.URLClassPath$JarLoader.getJarFile(Ljava/net/URL;)Ljava/util/jar/Jar
> File;+18
> j
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>
sun.misc.URLClassPath$JarLoader.access$600(Lsun/misc/URLClassPath$JarLoader;
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> 0x7c340000 - 0x7c396000 C:\WINDOWS\system32\MSVCR71.dll
> 0x6d310000 - 0x6d318000 C:\Program Files\Java\jre1.6.0_03\bin\hpi.dll
> 0x76bf0000 - 0x76bfb000 C:\WINDOWS\system32\PSAPI.DLL
> 0x6d770000 - 0x6d77c000 C:\Program Files\Java\jre1.6.0_03\bin\verify.dll
> 0x6d3b0000 - 0x6d3cf000 C:\Program Files\Java\jre1.6.0_03\bin\java.dll
> 0x6d7b0000 - 0x6d7bf000 C:\Program Files\Java\jre1.6.0_03\bin\zip.dll
>
> VM Arguments:
> jvm_args: -Dlauncher.config.bootclasspath=C:\Documents and
> Settings\ajax\Desktop\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU.exe
> -Xbootclasspath/p:C:\Documents and
> Settings\ajax\Desktop\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU.exe
> -Dlauncher.program=C:\Documents and
> Settings\ajax\Desktop\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU.exe
> -Dborland.executable.path=C:\Documents and
> Settings\ajax\Desktop\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU\DJ-X3MMU.exe exit
> java_command: <unknown>
> Launcher Type: generic
>
> Environment Variables:
> PATH=C:\WINDOWS\system32;C:\WINDOWS;C:\WINDOWS\System32\Wbem;C:\Program
> Files\ATI Technologies\ATI Control Panel;C:\Program Files\Smart
> Projects\IsoBuster
> USERNAME=ajax
> OS=Windows_NT
> PROCESSOR_IDENTIFIER=x86 Family 15 Model 4 Stepping 7, GenuineIntel
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> --------------- S Y S T E M ---------------
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> OS: Windows XP Build 2600 Service Pack 2
>
> CPU:total 2 (2 cores per cpu, 1 threads per core) family 15 model 4
> stepping 7, cmov, cx8, fxsr, mmx, sse, sse2, sse3
>
> Memory: 4k page, physical 916840k(482696k free), swap
> 2938900k(2537500k free)
>
> vm_info: Java HotSpot(TM) Client VM (1.6.0_03-b05) for windows-x86,
> built on Sep 24 2007 22:24:33 by "java_re" with unknown MS VC++:1310
>
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443. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: alinco djx3e how to use the programming cable?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-11-27 00:41:34 UTC
From: Mike
Topic: 432 Message: 443

An ICOM OPC-478U works just fine with the Alinco software and the DJ-X3.

Complaining to get something fixed does not work because there is not anything broken to fix on the Alinco side. Any problems are caused by the USB drivers and not the software.

Mike

From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of lintongormley@...
Sent: Monday, November 26, 2007 12:16 PM
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: alinco djx3e how to use the programming cable?

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I have never had any success using a USB port with a usb to serial converter.

We have loads of different models and cables here at work, I have tried them all, they don't work together with the official Alinco software.

It will only work on a real serial port.

The timing gets all screwed up. I have tried every to tweek every setting possible.

No amount of complaining or asking Alinco to fix the problem has any effect.

Customer support from Alinco does not exist.

If you really desperate, put together a old junk PC with real serials just for radio programming, everything will work fine.

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Just having the latest version will not do.

If the code was written for say Ver 6 then install ver 6 even if you have already have ver 7 or what ever.

Good Luck

Linton.

444. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: alinco djx3e how to use the programming cable?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-11-27 04:03:09 UTC
From: Linton
Topic: 432 Message: 444

Hi Mike

I disagree

Alinco could develop a USB converter friendly patch
Just like we have for our customers with similar problems using usb to serial converters.
(not like customers have any other choice these days or even when the radio was put on the market)
Generic serial is as dead as the Floppy drive.
We cannot excuse them for this oversight and the lack of support taking this into consideration
I must have seen hundreds of customers complaining about this problem.
It really should not take alinco more than a week to develop a usb friendly version.
Bottom line 'it seems" they simply don't care and wont even acknowledge emails about this issue, is it worth the customer dissatisfaction?

What do they expect a customer to do?, go build an old xt just to program a radio?
And what about the less technical savvy customers ?

Simply lame as far as I'm concerned.

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445. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: alinco djx3e how to use the programming cable?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-11-28 02:06:35 UTC
From: Mike
Topic: 432 Message: 445

In my experience whenever I have had a USB cable that would not do the job
and had a USB cable vendor that would actually work with me (a rare thing)
the vendor has ultimately found and fixed what they acknowledged to be a bug
in their USB/serial drivers.

I will take this discussion up with you outside of the list. I would like
to learn more about your view of this subject.

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I disagree

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446. Re: Problem With Aerial

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-12-02 15:46:08 UTC
From: James Roberts
Topic: 429 Message: 446

Finally got round to it this afternoon, but it still didn't work.

Is there anyway of taking the casing off and the aerial connecter out to release it that way?

My dad said if not, he would take it into the radio dept. at work to see what they could do with it.

Thanks, James.

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, James Roberts <j_g_roberts@...> wrote:
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> Thanks. There is a small bit of the pin exposed. I'll have to go to B&Q to get some super glue first.
>
> Regards, James.
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> To: alinco-dj-x3@...: ewerj@...: Tue, 13 Nov 2007 20:11:17 -0500Subject: RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Problem With Aerial
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> A trick I use at work, but with larger diameters. I super glue (carefully) a small wooden dowel to the object to be removed. Carve it down to pin size and be light on the amount of glue. A good toothpick might work. This will only work if there is some pin left exposed. Let the glue dry for an hour.
> Good luck
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>
> James R Ewer CBET, MCSE, CLES, KD8GJM
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> -----Original Message-----From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of James RobertsSent: Tuesday, November 13, 2007 6:08 PMTo: alinco-dj-x3@...: [alinco-dj-x3] Problem With Aerial
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> Hi all, when I screwed my aerial into the socket on the top of my scanner earlier on, the pin snapped off and is now stuck in the scanner.Whilst it still works (just about), the sound is now very distorted and I'm finding it hard to understand what is being said without holding the aerial in place.Is there any way of getting the pin out myself, or would I have to get it done somewhere else?Thanks, James.
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> 100's of Music vouchers to be won with MSN Music
> https://www.musicmashup.co.uk
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447. USB DJ-X3 Cables? And ready made CSV files?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-12-09 10:38:05 UTC
From: nibbles_hull
Topic: 447 Message: 447

First post so hello all,
I've just bought an Alinco DJ-X3 to get back into scanning (used to borrow a mate's Realistic Pro base scanner many years ago), and looking to make use of the information in this group to build a data transfer cable to input freq's etc.

But after spending half an hour searching through my bits box and maplin for the required components - I've just realised that my laptop doesn't have a Serial port!! Grr!

So is there a USB version of the cable available to build or buy anywhere?

Also, I notice from installing the Alinco application available, the frequencies and settings can be saved to a .CSV file, as my scanner is completely blank - I was wondering if there are an sources out there to download some ready made .CSV files to upload into my scanner to get me started?

I live in Hull/East Yorkshire, so any specific files for that area would be great, but anything would do for now, rather than me inputting manually or scanning aimlessly. Or just as good would be any fellow DJ-X3 owners nearby willing to meet up and clone direct to mine would help me get started I suppose?

Thanks in advance,
Lee

448. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] USB DJ-X3 Cables? And ready made CSV files?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-12-09 15:37:25 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 447 Message: 448

On Dec 9, 2007 11:38 AM, nibbles_hull <yahoo@leenewis.co.uk> wrote:
> So is there a USB version of the cable available to build or buy anywhere?

You won't find a USB-version of the cable. But there are USB-serial
converters available.

Markus
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449. Re: USB DJ-X3 Cables? And ready made CSV files?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-12-09 20:25:36 UTC
From: nibbles_hull
Topic: 447 Message: 449

> You won't find a USB-version of the cable. But there are USB-serial
> converters available.

Just after I sent the post, I found a USB to Serial cable on Maplin (I didn't realise they were available), but I then read in a similar post to mine, that these converters weren't compatible with the data leads?

450. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: USB DJ-X3 Cables? And ready made CSV files?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-12-10 06:45:49 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 447 Message: 450

On Dec 9, 2007 9:25 PM, nibbles_hull <yahoo@leenewis.co.uk> wrote:
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> didn't realise they were available), but I then read in a similar post
> to mine, that these converters weren't compatible with the data leads?

There have been reports of incompatibilities and reports of all working
well. Unfortunately you can not tell if a item in a catalog / online shop
will work or not.
Buy one you can return to try and keep it, if it works.

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451. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: USB DJ-X3 Cables? And ready made CSV files?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-12-10 07:41:47 UTC
From: Tony Fendall
Topic: 447 Message: 451

Hi All,

I use a Belkin USB/Serial converter. This is the only setup that works for me with Iain□s MMU software and his cable.

I was told that the Belkin has protocol conversion software built in, I believe a straight converter cable, the cheap variety, probably won□t work.

Hope this helps.

Regards

Tony

From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Markus Baertschi
Sent: 10 December 2007 06:46
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: USB DJ-X3 Cables? And ready made CSV files?

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452. Settings adjustment

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-12-12 00:03:47 UTC
From: jimbo632
Topic: 452 Message: 452

I am hope someone can help me with my Dj-X3,
By putting the radio in key lock there is a another menu
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To Change the display press vmp for up and bank for down.
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5n1
5nf
6n1
6nf
3S1
3SF
Wn1
WnF
ws1
wsf
dSPv
bUGvol

Thank you If you can Help

453. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Settings adjustment

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-12-12 11:55:22 UTC
From: ewerj@sbcglobal.net
Topic: 452 Message: 453

Jimbo

Fre9

Plt-f

In1

1nf

2n1

2nf

3n1

3nf

4n1

4nf

5n1

5nf

6n1

6nf

351

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wnf

w51

w5f

dspv

bugvol

Let me know how this works and ahat each is for if you know. Some of the settings had values at the top of display!

James R Ewer CBET, MCSE, CLES, KD8GJM

-----Original Message-----
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of jimbo632
Sent: Tuesday, December 11, 2007 7:04 PM
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Settings adjustment

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454. Re: Settings adjustment

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-12-12 15:21:19 UTC
From: jimbo632
Topic: 452 Message: 454

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hex setting for the adjustment, Make sure you do not change yours...
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455. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Settings adjustment

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-12-13 01:59:31 UTC
From: ewerj@sbcglobal.net
Topic: 452 Message: 455

Jimbo-

Try this

1n1 9d
> 1nf 51
> 2n1 a5
> 2nf 5f
> 3n1 d0
> 3nf 82
> 4n1 c9
> 4nf 77
> 5n1 c9
> 5nf 80
> 6n1 ea
> 6nf ae
> 3S1 53
> 3SF 9b
> Wn1 35
> WnF 1d
> ws1 8f
> wsf a5
> dSPv 35
> bUGvol 30

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> bUGvol 30
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> Thank you If you can Help
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456. Settings adjustment??

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-12-13 08:51:04 UTC
From: Alejo Varona
Topic: 452 Message: 456

Does everybody BUT me know what those are for? Does
someone else than me feel the curiosity organ itching?

--- ewerj@... wrote:

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> Try this
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457. Re: Settings adjustment

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-12-13 22:28:50 UTC
From: jimbo632
Topic: 452 Message: 457

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458. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Settings adjustment??

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-12-14 00:11:26 UTC
From: lintongormley@hotmail.com
Topic: 452 Message: 458

They aliment settings would not mess with them.

From: Alejo Varona
Sent: Thursday, December 13, 2007 12:51 AM
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Settings adjustment??

Does everybody BUT me know what those are for? Does
someone else than me feel the curiosity organ itching?

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459. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Settings adjustment

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-12-15 11:56:05 UTC
From: ewerj@sbcglobal.net
Topic: 452 Message: 459

Great!!!!

James R Ewer CBET, MCSE, CLES, KD8GJM

-----Original Message-----
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of jimbo632
Sent: Thursday, December 13, 2007 5:29 PM
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Settings adjustment

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460. JUST ARRIVED DJ-X3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-12-18 12:07:56 UTC
From: gw1sxn47
Topic: 460 Message: 460

HI ALL,
No Questions about the Alinco DJ-X3. Just a note to mention
that i have just this morning received my DJ-X3 from ebay

So i will now get down to reading the manual and getting to know
how to drive the X3.

I was thinking of getting a ERW-4C cable
should i buy the M0VPE cable its 5 pounds dearer
than a cable on ebay for 11.99

what do u suggest ??

Patrick GW1SXN

461. FREQS IN NORTH WALES ???

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-12-18 12:10:32 UTC
From: gw1sxn47
Topic: 461 Message: 461

Hi.
Anyone live in north wales, just looking for ant freqs
i can add to my X3 for this area?

Patrick GW1SXN

462. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] JUST ARRIVED DJ-X3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-12-18 16:45:36 UTC
From: Tony Fendall
Topic: 460 Message: 462

Patrick,

Go for the MoVPE cable the quality is superb.

Ian Strirzak, the manufacturer, wrote the MMU utility for us which was the only utility that would work for me and makes managing the DJ-X3 a doddle.

Regards

Tony

From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of gw1sxn47
Sent: 18 December 2007 12:08
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] JUST ARRIVED DJ-X3

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463. Re: alinco djx3e how to use the programming cable?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-12-31 15:31:31 UTC
From: g8jhe
Topic: 432 Message: 463

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--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "ajax3647" <ajax81@...> wrote:
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> --- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "ajax3647" <ajax81@> wrote:
> >
> > i recently purchased a programming cable fo my djx3 but when i
> > connect my djx3 to the pc and try and set up the com ports within
> > alinco clone utility it says no djx3 found or invalid port
number, i
> > have tried all the ports in the options but none seem to work,
> > have i got a duff cable?
> > am i doing something wrong?
> > any help would be much appreciated,
> > thank you
> also,
> i have just tried to connect on com port 2 and the djx3 said ok on
the
> screen then i got a communication error error:1 then cannot find
djx3
> >
>

Seems I am not the only one having these problems - exactly the
reason I came seeking the group!!

I am using the Icom cable and I get just this problem on an older
laptop with Win2K and a "real" comport.

My version of java seems to be too recent for the java based
utility - I will have to try and find version 5 from somewhere
and "downgrade :(

I have just noticed an upgrade to the Alinco software in the files
section - I shall try that, otherwise maybe have to try building the
interface in the files area and see if that makes any difference

Mike.....
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464. Re: alinco djx3e how to use the programming cable?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-12-31 16:48:24 UTC
From: IAIN - MØVPE
Topic: 432 Message: 464

Mike,

Would you let me know the Java problems you're getting with the DJ-X3 MMU app. when running with Java 6.

Is it that the app. won't even startup or that it won't work with a particular cable etc?

Cheers,
Iain

465. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: alinco djx3e how to use the programming cable?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-12-31 17:47:51 UTC
From: Mike Brogan
Topic: 432 Message: 465

Application won't start - creates an error log, nothing else. Error log is not consistent, if you want I can send you a couple of examples (have deleted the rest) direct.

I have now downgraded that machine to Java 5.05 and the application starts fine - although it (in common with the Alinco application) still does not talk to the radio. The Alinco version gives the errors previously described - although some communication is happening because the radio display changes from "clone" to "ok" when an attempt to read data is made!

The cable is an Icom one which works fine on an IC-T81.

I am just in the process of installing the applications on an alternative "desktop" computer just in case..... the next step will to be to find some veroboard and knock up an interface as per the file in the files section (I know I have a couple of MAX232s somewhere ....)

Mike..........

----- Original Message -----
From: "IAIN - M?VPE" <istirzak@...>
To: <alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Monday, December 31, 2007 4:48 PM
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: alinco djx3e how to use the programming cable?

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466. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: alinco djx3e how to use the programming cable?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2007-12-31 19:18:16 UTC
From: Mike
Topic: 432 Message: 466

Note To the group.

One helpful sole was willing to send me his radio so that I could reproduce some of these issues.

There is an upgrade in the works for the official Alinco software regarding the various communications issues.

I will post the software upgrade here when it is ready for testing.

Mike

467. Hello:)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-01-13 06:38:26 UTC
From: michal_b3vdgctx9c
Topic: 467 Message: 467

I want to say hello to other people in this group. My name is Michael, I'm from Poland, and i have DJ-X3 of course. I live near airport in Gdansk so it's good to listen how they speak on airband. This is my self-made interface for my Alinco http://seicento.x.pl/interface.jpg and this is schematic diagram http://seicento.x.pl/interface.gif It's very simple to build. I use it with Clone Utility and it works super. If you have any questions about this interface just ask :)

468. Re: Hello:)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-01-13 12:58:48 UTC
From: gw1sxn47
Topic: 467 Message: 468

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "michal_b3vdgctx9c"
<michal_b3vdgctx9c@...> wrote:
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> I want to say hello to other people in this group. My name is Michael,
> I'm from Poland, and i have DJ-X3 of course. I live near airport in
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> and this is schematic diagram http://seicento.x.pl/interface.gif It's
> very simple to build. I use it with Clone Utility and it works super.
> If you have any questions about this interface just ask :)
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HI MICHAL.
I have an X3 as well, i wonder what software programme you
are using with it?

Patrick GW1SXN

469. Re: Hello:)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-01-14 00:11:07 UTC
From: michal_b3vdgctx9c
Topic: 467 Message: 469

> I have an X3 as well, i wonder what software programme you
> are using with it?
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> Patrick GW1SXN
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Here http://michalb3vdgctx9c.fotosik.pl/ you can see photos of my
Alinco and interface during connection with my PC. You can zoom all
photos by click on them. As you can see it works very well:)

470. Re: Hello:)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-01-13 23:29:25 UTC
From: michal_b3vdgctx9c
Topic: 467 Message: 470

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> are using with it?
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"I use it with Clone Utility and it works super."

Patrick: DJ-X3 Clone Utility

ftp://ftp.alinco.co.jp/djx3/setupX3_1.3.2.exe and update "1.3.5" for
this, from "Files" from this group

471. Battery Modification

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-01-14 07:07:58 UTC
From: michal_b3vdgctx9c
Topic: 471 Message: 471

Could somebody write me what is Battery Modification for? What is this for? My Alinco works good without this.

472. Re: Settings adjustment??

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-01-14 07:57:31 UTC
From: chris_smith_canada
Topic: 452 Message: 472

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Alejo Varona wrote:
>
> Does everybody BUT me know what those are for? Does
> someone else than me feel the curiosity organ itching?

Oh, YEAH. I wasn't around through the holidays when this thread cropped up, but .... oh, yeah.

Nice thing though -- PLT is an odd string. Searching on DJ-X3 PLT gives you an immediate hit...

http://www.radioamateur.eu/schemi/RX/ALINCO_DJ-X3_serv.pdf

This is the X3 service manual (very brief) and it tells you how to get into these settings. Turns out that most of these settings are to set squelch levels correctly, or to verify that frequencies are shown accurately.

It would have been much more cool for this to be deep, dark, radio secrets, but it is not to be.

Sorry.

...Chris

473. Re: Hello:)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-01-14 12:42:26 UTC
From: gw1sxn47
Topic: 467 Message: 473

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "michal_b3vdgctx9c"
<michal_b3vdgctx9c@...> wrote:
>
> > I have an X3 as well, i wonder what software programme you
> > are using with it?
> >
> > Patrick GW1SXN
> >
>
> Here http://michalb3vdgctx9c.fotosik.pl/ you can see photos of my
> Alinco and interface during connection with my PC. You can zoom all
> photos by click on them. As you can see it works very well:)
>
Many thanks Michal for the link to your photo's . Where can i get the
software that you use (Alinco DJ-X3 Clone Utility) .
Where can i find this clone program
patrick gw1sxn

474. Re: Hello:)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-01-14 12:52:16 UTC
From: gw1sxn47
Topic: 467 Message: 474

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "michal_b3vdgctx9c"
<michal_b3vdgctx9c@...> wrote:
>
Many thanks Michal.
Please disregard my last email asking you where i
could get the clone s/ware, i had not read this email where you sent
me the link, i have just downloaded it, not run it yet
thanks again de patrick gw1sxn

> > I have an X3 as well, i wonder what software programme you
> > are using with it?
> >
> > Patrick GW1SXN
> >
>
> "I use it with Clone Utility and it works super."
>
>
> Patrick: DJ-X3 Clone Utility
>
> ftp://ftp.alinco.co.jp/djx3/setupX3_1.3.2.exe and update "1.3.5" for
> this, from "Files" from this group
>

475. Yahoo group files cleanup

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-01-14 13:34:00 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 475 Message: 475

I've done some housekepping in the files area. All files are still there, but I've put them into folders according to their contents. The section looks a bit cleaner now.

There is a new link to the Alinco page with the clone utility in the links section too.

Markus

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Bas du Rossé 16 Fax : ++41 (21) 807 1678
CH-1163, Etoy Email: markus@markus.org
Switzerland Homepage: www.markus.org

476. Re: Hello:)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-01-14 20:49:43 UTC
From: michal_b3vdgctx9c
Topic: 467 Message: 476

No problem :)

> >
> Many thanks Michal.
> Please disregard my last email asking you where i
> could get the clone s/ware, i had not read this email where you sent
> me the link, i have just downloaded it, not run it yet
> thanks again de patrick gw1sxn
>
> > > I have an X3 as well, i wonder what software
programme you
> > > are using with it?
> > >
> > > Patrick GW1SXN

477. New user needs help

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-01-17 12:53:16 UTC
From: Larry
Topic: 477 Message: 477

Hi, I am new to the group and new to my dj-x3. In the Preset Mode, the FM range that comes up is too low to receive USA fm broadcasts. How can I change this?
Also how do I get the FM band in VFO mode?
Any help would be appreciated! Larry in Arizona

478. Re: New user needs help

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-01-17 13:50:38 UTC
From: michal_b3vdgctx9c
Topic: 477 Message: 478

Read manual from begin to end
http://www.radioamateur.eu/schemi/RX/ALINCO_DJ-X3_user.pdf

FM in VFO: page 36 and 38 Selecting the Modulation Mode

For Broadcast FM Reception (88-108MHz) must be W on the screen. This is WFM.

479. Voice Inversion Mod?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-02-05 18:26:14 UTC
From: superswoops
Topic: 479 Message: 479

Hi all,

i would like to purchase the unblocked usa version of this scanner, however i am wondering if the VI descrambler can be activated by removing a jumper wire like previous Alinco's.

thanks.

480. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Voice Inversion Mod?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-02-05 18:43:17 UTC
From: Stack Smasher
Topic: 479 Message: 480
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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481. Re: Voice Inversion Mod?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-02-05 20:25:30 UTC
From: superswoops
Topic: 479 Message: 481

Yes i know i am well aware of tthe current state, i already own 4 digital scanners, i ust want this one to have but i would like the VI desrambler to work. I am wondering if that feature which is blocked i think can be enabled by removing a jumper wire. Has anyone done this here?

thanks.
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>
> On Feb 5, 2008 1:26 PM, superswoops <superswoops@...> wrote:
>
> > Hi all,
> >
> > i would like to purchase the unblocked usa version of this scanner,
> > however i am wondering if the VI descrambler can be activated by
> > removing a jumper wire like previous Alinco's.
> >
> > thanks.
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> --
> "If you see me laughing, you better have backups"
>

482. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Voice Inversion Mod?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-02-05 18:58:40 UTC
From: James Roberts
Topic: 479 Message: 482

RE the "special" expensive toy needed to listen into digital transmissions, do you have any further information or a link to these "special" toys?

I'm interested in UK fire brigade comms and they are slowly moving over to digital in time for new call centres.

Thanks in advance, James.

From: Stack Smasher
Sent: Tuesday, February 05, 2008 6:43 PM
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Voice Inversion Mod?

The (E) European and (S) Japan versions already have the IS enabled already.

Look on E-Bay....

Don't get to excited, there is nothing to be found on the old analog freqs anyway. It is only still blocked because of political reasons. Way back when phones where analog it was cool, but now cell phones use digital and that is all encrypted.

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You need "special" expensive toys to play in the digital arena.

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thanks.

--
"If you see me laughing, you better have backups"

483. Re: Voice Inversion Mod?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-02-07 22:15:14 UTC
From: superswoops
Topic: 479 Message: 483

Well forget about digital phone monitoring as that wont happen but radio comms that are digital we use uniden 396 (diff model in EUR), RS-pro96, PSR-500. Those will monitor non encrypted digital radio systems.
>

484. Re: Digital Scanners (Was: Voice Inversion Mod ?)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-02-07 22:36:16 UTC
From: Markus Bärtschi
Topic: 479 Message: 484

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "James Roberts" <j_g_roberts@...>
wrote:
> RE the "special" expensive toy needed to listen into digital
transmissions, do you have any further information or a link to these
"special" toys?

There are new digital scanners who can receive the digital signals and
decode them. The can be used like an analog scanner. It only works for
not encrypted signals though. Most 'sensitive' stuff (police, etc.) is
probably encrypted. Many other (fire dept.) are probably not.
Essentially because the encryption adds additional cost and the
authorities will want to save if possible.

Digital scanners are quite expensive ($500) and there are just a few
models.

Markus

485. Communication problem

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-02-10 19:27:12 UTC
From: Martin
Topic: 485 Message: 485

Hi
I have a DJ-X7 and found this forum... ;-)

The connection to the DJ-X7 with the adapter cable doesn't work - the original software pops up with a "Communication Error".

DJ-X7 is connected with the adapter cable to COM1 under XP.

If I start a communication program and connect to COM1 I have at least a communication to the DJ-X7 - it tells me "ERROR".

My question now: What commands does the DJ-X7 accepts - is there any list of these commands?

Thanks a lot.

Martin

486. Re: Communication problem

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-02-10 21:28:37 UTC
From: Martin
Topic: 485 Message: 486

A little bit more I found

When sending "AL" I get "OK" from DJ-X7E

Martin

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Martin" <dagobart@...> wrote:
>
> Hi
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>
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>
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> a communication to the DJ-X7 - it tells me "ERROR".
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> My question now: What commands does the DJ-X7 accepts - is there any
> list of these commands?

487. Re: Communication problem

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-02-11 02:34:27 UTC
From: michal_b3vdgctx9c
Topic: 485 Message: 487

Try this interface
http://f1.grp.yahoofs.com/v1/IKyvR3adeSQavqBqkcFgpNOju1aNlk88h5ihfmb5Ij2adOS81EMdjmdQI2R8xQY61kGK3paK0HG91UMPYjs3X88IIP2h2SgxrIgXjFChC7c/Interface-Circuits/interface.gif

It works with my DJ-X3.

488. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Voice Inversion Mod?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-02-08 04:18:19 UTC
From: Raymond McKeever
Topic: 479 Message: 488

Radioreference.com....check out the wekipedia reference section (link) on this site.

73 Ray

James Roberts <j_g_roberts@...> wrote:
RE the "special" expensive toy needed to listen into digital transmissions, do you have any further information or a link to these "special" toys?

I'm interested in UK fire brigade comms and they are slowly moving over to digital in time for new call centres.

Thanks in advance, James.

From: Stack Smasher
Sent: Tuesday, February 05, 2008 6:43 PM
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Voice Inversion Mod?

The (E) European and (S) Japan versions already have the IS enabled already.

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You need "special" expensive toys to play in the digital arena.

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removing a jumper wire like previous Alinco's.

thanks.

--
"If you see me laughing, you better have backups"

Looking for last minute shopping deals? Find them fast with Yahoo! Search.

489. Re: Communication problem

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-02-11 08:33:13 UTC
From: Martin
Topic: 485 Message: 489

Thanks for the link - but I get

Document Not Found

Martin

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "michal_b3vdgctx9c"
<michal_b3vdgctx9c@...> wrote:
>
> Try this interface
>
http://f1.grp.yahoofs.com/v1/IKyvR3adeSQavqBqkcFgpNOju1aNlk88h5ihfmb5Ij2adOS81EMdjmdQI2R8x
QY61kGK3paK0HG91UMPYjs3X88IIP2h2SgxrIgXjFChC7c/Interface-Circuits/interface.gif
>
> It works with my DJ-X3.
>

490. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Communication problem

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-02-11 08:45:33 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 485 Message: 490
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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491. Re: Communication problem

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-02-11 09:21:44 UTC
From: Martin
Topic: 485 Message: 491

Thanks Markus

Yes I tried this soft - but it doesn't work.

Error log: http://docs.google.com/Doc?id=dzd36h6_2gvmbvbg7
<http://docs.google.com/Doc?id=dzd36h6_2gvmbvbg7>

Martin

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Markus Baertschi" <markus@...>
wrote:
>
> Martin,
>
> Michal is pointing you to a circuit in the Files section of the yahoo
group:
> (http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/files/Interface-Circuits/)
>
> Unfortunately serial communication with radios over the mic/speaker
socket
> is generally quite tricky and not very reliable. Depending on the
serial
> port of your
> PC and the software and its timing it works sometimes :-(. Built-in
serial
> ports
> usually work fine, but USB/serial converters are know to have
problems. Some
> converters work, others don't.
>
> Did you try only the Alinkc software or also the DJ-X3MMU from the
files
> page ?
>
> Markus
>
> --
> Markus Baertschi Phone: ++41 (21) 807 1677
> Bas du RossÃ© 16 Fax : ++41 (21) 807 1678
> CH-1163, Etoy Email: markus@...
> Switzerland Homepage: www.markus.org
>

492. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Communication problem

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-02-11 10:54:15 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 485 Message: 492
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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493. Re: Communication problem

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-02-11 18:39:17 UTC
From: michal_b3vdgctx9c
Topic: 485 Message: 493

Download this software

http://www.alinco.com/Products/DJ-X7/DJ-X7v101.msi

and make this interface

http://img340.imageshack.us/img340/9440/interfacerd9.gif it's simple

it must work :)

and look at this http://michalb3vdgctx9c.fotosik.pl/ click on all photos

this is my interface from this diagram
http://img340.imageshack.us/img340/9440/interfacerd9.gif and works
good with my alinco dj-x3 and must work with your dj-x7 :)

494. re java problems

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-02-11 21:35:37 UTC
From: Paul
Topic: 494 Message: 494

I e-mailed Ian last year many months ago now about the very same problem ie exact same issue whereby the program would not run at all..with the err files you mention.
However! as of today I have got the latest patch from sun java for my JDK 1.6.0_04 and the embedded JRE 1.6.0_04 and all is well again, which appears to suggest there was a problem with the last couple of java releases.
Do make sure you put the files into the bin and lib folders of java as instructed otherwise you cannot set the com port you wish to use.
I hope this is of help to many others as it has resolved my not being able to use Ians excellent software for about 6 months or more...good luck.
Incidentally in case it is a hardware issue I run an AMD Athlon xp2800 at 2.08ghz on an asrock Socket A motherboard.
I'm sure that Ian may be well relieved that it appears to be a fault with java...not his programming....!!!

495. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] re java problems

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-02-11 23:21:05 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 494 Message: 495
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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496. Rubber Grommet on top of Radio

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-02-13 19:26:20 UTC
From: wa3dxy
Topic: 496 Message: 496

Hours after receiving my DJ-X3, my son pulls the entire rubber grommet out of the top of my new radio.

It appears that the only way to put it back is to open the radio.

Does anyone have any experience with this?

Is there an easy way to open the radio?

I have searched this site and the internet, but could find no solution.

I am embarressed to say my son is 22 years old and knows better.

Mel

WA3DXY

Orlando, FL USA

497. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Rubber Grommet on top of Radio

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-02-13 19:27:55 UTC
From: Ravi Miranda
Topic: 496 Message: 497
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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498. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Rubber Grommet on top of Radio

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-02-13 19:44:09 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 496 Message: 498
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

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499. Re: Rubber Grommet on top of Radio

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-02-14 18:48:50 UTC
From: chris_smith_canada
Topic: 496 Message: 499

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "wa3dxy" <MLazin@...> wrote:
>
> Hours after receiving my DJ-X3, my son pulls the entire rubber
> grommet out of the top of my new radio.
...
> I am embarressed to say my son is 22 years old and knows better.

I didn't - but I almost did. We're all trying to open what *looks* like
a cover on the other side next to the headphone jack, aren't we?

500. Hi all another newbie here

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-05-12 06:23:55 UTC
From: brett hollis
Topic: 500 Message: 500

Hi my name is Brett I got my first scanner yesterday and it is the DJ-X3E I have managed to find 1 taxi and I think 1 air band frequency but that is it. I live about 50 miles away from 2 airports one being Nottingham East Midlands and the other being robin hood Doncaster/Sheffield I only have the little whip antenna so will I be able to pick these up my postcode is de55 5lx if anybody fancies taking a look on a map to see what I might be able to get in this area that would be great. The next question I know it is illegal to listen to the emergency services but what sort of range will they be on and if I want to scan just between say 108 - 138 MHz how do I do this. Ok last question when tuning i picked up a taxi on 165.362 so is that 165.365 MHz or am i totally wrong

thanks

brett

501. Re: Hi all another newbie here

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-05-12 12:42:14 UTC
From: jvdn2002
Topic: 500 Message: 501

Hi there Brett,

I just uploaded an excel-file with air traffic frequencies which might be interesting for you into the files section. I hope it's useful, enjoy your dj-x3!

Greetings from Holland,
Jan

502. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Hi all another newbie here

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-05-12 21:32:06 UTC
From: Alejo Varona
Topic: 500 Message: 502

The following links should provide you with a good start:
http://worldaerodata.com/wad.cgi?id=UK92771
http://worldaerodata.com/wad.cgi?id=UK88472
And of course you can use that web site to find you fav spot.

--- On Mon, 5/12/08, brett hollis wrote:
From: brett hollis
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Hi all another newbie here
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Date: Monday, May 12, 2008, 2:23 AM

Hi my name is Brett I got my first scanner yesterday and it is the
DJ-X3E I have managed to find 1 taxi and I think 1 air band frequency
but that is it. I live about 50 miles away from 2 airports one being
Nottingham East Midlands and the other being robin hood
Doncaster/Sheffield I only have the little whip antenna so will I be
able to pick these up my postcode is de55 5lx if anybody fancies
taking a look on a map to see what I might be able to get in this area
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thanks

brett

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503. Re: Hi all another newbie here

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-05-13 08:01:13 UTC
From: ice_cold_rick_gold
Topic: 500 Message: 503

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "brett hollis"
<brett.hollis1@...> wrote:
>
> Hi my name is Brett I got my first scanner yesterday and it is the
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> last question when tuning i picked up a taxi on 165.362 so is that
> 165.365 MHz or am i totally wrong
>
> thanks
>
> brett
>
Hi mate.

I live sort of round your area so I have a few frequencies that I can give you to try and see if you can pick up. I would also suggest you get a better antenna as I found you can pick more stuff up. I brought myself a Watson Super-Gainer W-881 aerial which I have found picks up a lot more stuff, I found it on ebay for about around 20 quid.

You might be able to get Notts fire brigade which is at 146.881,that can be a good listen, You will know when you get it because you will hear "Tango one papa one to echo tango" etc. Im trying to find Derbyshire fire brigade which is meant to be at 70.712 but I can hardly hear it.

Taxi's are around 164.000 and are not really that exciting to listen to.

http://macuk.org.uk/mansfield.htm this is a good website, its got some frequencies for Notts and Mansfield and East Midlands Ambulance service which I think is around QMC but Iv not really heard much of that either but you may do.

Then there is the two way radio's that you can get from Argos etc and they are at:

446.005
446.015

446.030
446.045
446.055
446.080
446.070
446.095

These can be interesting to listen to sometimes especially on Sundays and places like swimming baths use them sometimes.

Another great website is http://www.transmission1.co.uk.

Hope this helps you out abit mate. Another thing you can do is just set the step size to. 12.5kh and just scan through all the band and see what you pick up.

Rich

504. My Alinco and Airband:)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-06-22 01:33:42 UTC
From: michal_b3vdgctx9c
Topic: 504 Message: 504

My Alinco and Airband

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mnY5kPwV0so Approach Gdansk Lech Walesa Airport :) 130.875 MHz AM

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bSwaFgSRZy4 Approach Gdansk Lech Walesa Airport :) 130.875 MHz AM

505. New Photos for All - Alinco Inside

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-06-22 23:07:25 UTC
From: michal_b3vdgctx9c
Topic: 505 Message: 505

I made this Photos today.

http://ph.groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/photos/browse/a1f4

http://michalb3vdgctx9c.fotosik.pl/zdjecia original size click twice
on every photos

506. My groups list

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-06-23 15:32:49 UTC
From: dan redmond
Topic: 506 Message: 506

Hi everyone,

Hope this is ok to post here... You can see a list of my groups on Grouply at the link below. Maybe you'll find some you want to join.

dan

Here's the link:
http://www.grouply.com/register.php?tmg=131008&vt=603009

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This message was posted by a fellow group member who uses Grouply instead of email to access this group. Grouply blocks additional invitations from being sent to this group by anyone for 30 days. Group owners can permanently block future invitations using Grouply Owner Controls:
http://blog.grouply.com/protect#prevent_invites .

507. rdbrudy

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-07-23 16:48:24 UTC
From: Rudy Delgado
Topic: 507 Message: 507

thanks

508. HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE ?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-07-29 14:09:34 UTC
From: icomradio128
Topic: 508 Message: 508

Hi,
I have built this interface here
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I have checked ,and checked the board, but it still doesnt work.
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DJ-X3MMU program.But it just says cannot find dj-x3.

I am starting to think the schematic is wrong, unless others have
successfully built it.

Please let me know what works for you.
Thanks.

509. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE ?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-07-29 14:23:31 UTC
From: Mike Brogan
Topic: 508 Message: 509

I have tried several interfaces including commercially made and have not
been able to get any of the software versions to work :(

Mike.....

----- Original Message -----

> Hi,
> I have built this interface here
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> I am starting to think the schematic is wrong, unless others have
> successfully built it.
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> Please let me know what works for you.
> Thanks.
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510. New file uploaded to alinco-dj-x3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-07-29 14:28:23 UTC
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 11 Message: 510

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the alinco-dj-x3
group.

File : /Interface-Circuits/dj-x3 interface.zip
Uploaded by : icomradio128 <cobra148@...>
Description : Please can some one check this board if you have used the schematic and built it (I cannot get it to work)

You can access this file at the URL:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/files/Interface-Circuits/dj-x3%20interface.zip

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
http://help.yahoo.com/l/us/yahoo/groups/original/members/web/index.htmlfiles

Regards,

icomradio128 <cobra148@...>

511. Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE ?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-07-29 14:39:09 UTC
From: icomradio128
Topic: 508 Message: 511

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Mike Brogan" <g8jhe@...> wrote:
>
> I have tried several interfaces including commercially made and have
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> been able to get any of the software versions to work :(
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> Mike.........
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> > DJ-X3MMU program.But it just says cannot find dj-x3.
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> > I am starting to think the schematic is wrong, unless others have
> > successfully built it.
> >
> > Please let me know what works for you.
> > Thanks.
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Thanks Mike,
yes I am starting to wonder what is going on, as people here are
saying they have working interfaces.But I have built the interface
from the schematic posted above, and it just keeps saying cant find
dj-x3.

I have just posted my board and component placement on here (dj-x3
interface.zip). so if anyone has built it successfully from this
schematic, please tell me where my board goes wrong.
Thanks.
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512. Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE ?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-07-29 21:04:26 UTC
From: pmr156_xira
Topic: 508 Message: 512

Hi,
I had build the icom interface and works very well with DJX3E,
Very ease to program.
Do you make the correct step to initiate the read/write data to/from
radio? see manual.
Do you use the correct serial port.

good luck

aef

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "icomradio128" <cobra148@...> wrote:
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> --- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Mike Brogan" <g8jhe@> wrote:
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> > > successfully built it.
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> > > Please let me know what works for you.
> > > Thanks.
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> Thanks Mike,
> yes I am starting to wonder what is going on, as people here are
> saying they have working interfaces.But I have built the interface
> from the schematic posted above, and it just keeps saying cant find

> dj-x3.
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> I have just posted my board and component placement on here (dj-x3
> interface.zip). so if anyone has built it successfully from this
> schematic, please tell me where my board goes wrong.
> Thanks.
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513. Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE ?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-07-30 00:23:46 UTC
From: michal_b3vdgctx9c
Topic: 508 Message: 513

I made this
http://f1.grp.yahoofs.com/v1/AK-PSKZaQUnHb3BYLh0--1tX9iLbHLZtOL0FkzHpOK905NDTvV_UuBxS53CgLZhEAoQgB02mgokd4lNMITDDd7ofQcpy4Lan6U5eCI9igRs/Interface-Circuits/interface.gif

It works very good :)

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "icomradio128" <cobra148@...> wrote:
>
> Hi,
> I have built this interface here
>
http://f1.grp.yahoofs.com/v1/UBSPSKYIlrhVZQDIDsRLsNrZBwbxEBx6844u0sm-B2fKXH7pf4PUJxPX7r5GbxNgOKw2HNz_oHgTVWOdMq4hauj8uSljRCfvEJHo/Interface-Circuits/interface.gif
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> successfully built it.
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514. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE ?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-07-30 08:24:22 UTC
From: Helge
Topic: 508 Message: 514

On Tue, 29 Jul 2008 14:39:09 -0000, "icomradio128" wrote:

>I have just posted my board and component placement on here (dj-x3
>interface.zip). so if anyone has built it successfully from this
>schematic, please tell me where my board goes wrong.

I just checked my CAD files. The circuit is exactly the one I used. I made my own board, though, since I wanted it to fit inside the DB9 housing.

Give us some more detail about the problem. What exactly does the error message say? What is displayed on the radio? Explain what you are doing and what result it gives.
--
Helge W

515. Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE ?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-07-30 14:59:06 UTC
From: scanbeowulf
Topic: 508 Message: 515

I'm glad you got this to work. When I built it I just got a message to say there was no radio connected. What software did you use and did you connect any of the other pins on the serial cable.

BTW, I can't get your link to work (site does not exist) I'm guessing it's the same circuit as the version in Files->Interface-Circuits->icom_interface_circuit.pdf

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "michal_b3vdgctx9c" <michal_b3vdgctx9c@...> wrote:
>
> I made this
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http://f1.grp.yahoofs.com/v1/AK-PSKZaQUnHb3BYLh0--1tX9iLbHLZtOL0FkzHpOK905NDTvV_UuBxS53CgLZhEAoQgB02mgokd4lNMITDDd7ofQcpy4Lan6U5eCI9igRs/Interface-Circuits/interface.gif
>
> It works very good :)

516. Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE REPLY TO helge

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-07-30 15:28:53 UTC
From: icomradio128
Topic: 508 Message: 516

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Helge <helgex3@...> wrote:
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> On Tue, 29 Jul 2008 14:39:09 -0000, "icomradio128" wrote:
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> >I have just posted my board and component placement on here (dj-x3
> >interface.zip). so if anyone has built it successfully from this
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> made my own board, though, since I wanted it to fit inside the DB9
> housing.
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> Give us some more detail about the problem. What exactly does the
> error message say? What is displayed on the radio? Explain what you
> are doing and what result it gives.
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> Helge W
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Hi helge,
tried to e-mail you through this site, but I cannot attach my pcb and layout, I will pot my board and layout as a zip file to this group for you to look at. file will be entitled (LOOK AT THIS.zip)

Ok my problem is,when I try to program the radio I get communications error, cannot find DJ-X3.
radio is in CLONE MODE.

I set the alinco program 1.3.5 to use com 1, pc is set to com 1.
I am running win xp sp2, also tried MMU program but still message says check cable.

The only thing I think may be causing it, is maybe I have got the transistors the wrong way round ,see my zip file to check my component placement, and pcb traces to DB9/F.
I have gone wrong some where, but cannot understand the schematic regarding the transistors.

I would be greatful if you could look at my pcb, to see if I have gone wrong anywhere.

Thank you.

517. New file uploaded to alinco-dj-x3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-07-30 15:30:26 UTC
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 11 Message: 517

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the alinco-dj-x3
group.

File : /Interface-Circuits/LOOK AT THIS.zip
Uploaded by : icomradio128 <cobra148@...>
Description : Please can some one check my pcb and part placement in this zip file thank you.

You can access this file at the URL:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/files/Interface-Circuits/LOOK%20AT%20THIS.zip

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
http://help.yahoo.com/l/us/yahoo/groups/original/members/web/index.htmlfiles

Regards,

icomradio128 <cobra148@...>

518. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE REPLY TO helge

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-07-30 19:01:47 UTC
From: Helge
Topic: 508 Message: 518

On Wed, 30 Jul 2008 15:28:53 -0000, "icomradio128" wrote:

>tried to e-mail you through this site, but I cannot attach my pcb and
>layout, I will pot my board and layout as a zip file to this group
>for you to look at. file will be entitled (LOOK AT THIS.zip)

It actually looks to me like one of the transistors is drawn the wrong way. The BC548 nearest the cable output (Q3) seems to be rotated 180 degrees, i.e. collector and emitter swapped.

>Ok my problem is,when I try to program the radio I get communications
>error, cannot find DJ-X3.
>radio is in CLONE MODE.

So the display on the radio remains at "cLone"?

>I would be greatful if you could look at my pcb, to see if I have
>gone wrong anywhere.

One other thing to check, is that you have not made the board mirrored. The layout is a bit confusing, since part of the text is mirrored. The large "DJX3" should be correctly readable on your board's copper side, while the "PRINT SIZE" letters should appear mirrored.

The last detail I can imagine is easy to miss, is the small wire bridge.

519. Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE REPLY TO helge

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-07-30 20:50:05 UTC
From: icomradio128
Topic: 508 Message: 519

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Helge <helgex3@...> wrote:
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> On Wed, 30 Jul 2008 15:28:53 -0000, "icomradio128" wrote:
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> >tried to e-mail you through this site, but I cannot attach my pcb and
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> way. The BC548 nearest the cable output (Q3) seems to be rotated 180
> degrees, i.e. collector and emitter swapped.
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> >Ok my problem is,when I try to program the radio I get communications
> >error, cannot find DJ-X3.
> >radio is in CLONE MODE.
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> So the display on the radio remains at "cLone"?>
> >I would be greatful if you could look at my pcb, to see if I have
> >gone wrong anywhere.
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> One other thing to check, is that you have not made the board
> mirrored. The layout is a bit confusing, since part of the text is
> mirrored. The large "DJX3" should be correctly readable on your
> board's copper side, while the "PRINT SIZE" letters should appear
> mirrored.
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> The last detail I can imagine is easy to miss, is the small wire
> bridge.
>
Hi helge.
Sorry I should have pointed out that the pcb is already mirrored
on the screen.But the print size text at the top of the board was
typed in by myself, so that everytime I load the image I can see what
size to print it.

Yes the radio stays with "CLONE" on the screen untill switchd off.

I have just rotated the Q3 transistor and re-soldered it onto the
board, (thanks for noticing that)but the alinco 1.3.5 program message
is still the same ("communications error 1 - cannot find dj-x3).

The pcb jumper wire was ok , so now that these things are sorted
and that the radio is still not recognized, do you think it may
be serial port incompatibility ?. I mean pentium 4, 3.4 ghz may be

to fast on the serial data.

I now take it that my pcb traces are all leading to the correct components, and that, other than the Q3 being wrong (now sorted) everything else is ok is it helge ?.

Maybe I should try a windows 98 machine 300mhz such as my mates old laptop.

I just dont know if there are some dj x3's out there that are unable to be programmed , I mean a lot of people here say they cant get it to program , and others say its fine.

Any other ideas helge ?

I may try the max3232 pcb posted in the group files area, as a last attempt to get this radio to connect, if that fails ,then its addios to linking it with my pc forever.

Thanks.

520. Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE ?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-07-30 21:00:07 UTC
From: icomradio128
Topic: 508 Message: 520

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "pmr156_xira" <pmr156_xira@...>
wrote:
>
> Hi,
> I had build the icom interface and works very well with DJX3E,
> Very ease to program.
> Do you make the correct step to initiate the read/write data to/from
> radio? see manual.
> Do you use the correct serial port.
>
> good luck
>
> aef

Hi aef.
yes the radio was placed in clone mode, and the comport 1 was matched
with the alinco program 1.3.5, and the pc.

Did you build the same interface as me, see my (look at this.zip)in
the files area ?.

I just cannot get the thing to work at all,so maybe some x3's are
bad, I dont know.

Anyway have a look at my zip file to let me know ok aef.

Thanks.
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> --- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "icomradio128" <cobra148@> wrote:
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> > --- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Mike Brogan" <g8jhe@> wrote:
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> > > I have tried several interfaces including commercially made and have
> > not
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521. Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE ?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-07-30 21:06:05 UTC
From: icomradio128
Topic: 508 Message: 521

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "michal_b3vdgctx9c"
<michal_b3vdgctx9c@...> wrote:
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> I made this
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ZhEAoQgB02mgokd4lNMITDDd7ofQcpy4Lan6U5eCI9igRs/Interface-Circuits/interface.gif
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> It works very good :)

Hi michal_b3vdg.
If you built this same interface, then please look at my (LOOK AT
THIS.zip) posted in the files area.

It contains my built pcb, and part placement silk, maybe you will
notice somthing is wrong with it ,I dont know?.

Thanks.
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522. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE REPLY TO helge

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-07-31 04:24:48 UTC
From: Chris
Topic: 508 Message: 522

On Wed, 30 Jul 2008, icomradio128 wrote:

> The pcb jumper wire was ok , so now that these things are sorted
> and that the radio is still not recognized, do you think it may
> be serial port incompatibility ?. I mean pentium 4, 3.4 ghz may be
> to fast on the serial data.

I've seen suggestions that it is not the speed, but power. Almost
all of the interfaces derive power from the serial port pins. If
this is close to tolerances, then some serial ports may not have
enough drive. Apparently many recent ports do not drive the pins
to the full -12V/+12V levels. Can you check the levels *while*
the interface is connected?

If anything, laptops might be worse for this due to their
tendency to shave on anything that consumes power.

Since you're already building your own, you could try splicing in
a 9V battery between ground (-) and the positive supply rail on
the circuit (+ on battery). If nothing blows up, the power boost
might be something that makes a difference.

> Maybe I should try a windows 98 machine 300mhz such as my
> mates old laptop.

Trying it on multiple machines is always a good idea.

One other thing to try is hooking up your cable, but running a
straight terminal program on the serial port. Connect the cable
to the radio, start the radio in CLONE mode, and *then* press the
dial button. This will make the radio think it is cloning to
another radio. This is of course not possible -- but the radio
must *send* and if you see activity on the terminal program, it
might help you determine if part of your interface is working.

> I just dont know if there are some dj x3's out there that are
> unable to be programmed , I mean a lot of people here say they
> cant get it to program , and others say its fine.

I finally gave up (tried two purchased cables) and just bought
the Alinco USB cable. Works like a charm. Part of the reasoning
is that USB is far more consistent in the power levels it can
drive.

A more general rule for any future radio I buy will be to see if
it has a separate data port. A separate port avoids one jack

having to do multiple and varying jobs, and lets the designer
concentrate on making the data port do *that* job.

: chris smith ::
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523. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE REPLY TO helge

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-07-31 18:35:06 UTC
From: Helge
Topic: 508 Message: 523

On Wed, 30 Jul 2008 20:50:05 -0000, "icomradio128" wrote:
>> >I would be greatful if you could look at my pcb, to see if I have
>> >gone wrong anywhere.

I just noticed another minor error. It does not, however, make any difference on the function in this case: Pin 1 on the DB9 connector is labeled "CG", which I assume means "Chassis Ground". This is not correct. Pin 1 on a 9-pin serial port is "Data Carrier Detect", "DCD" or just "CD".

In your circuit, it is connected to signal ground. Since the software does not use this signal at all, it is no problem. On my cable, this pin is completely unconnected.

>Yes the radio stays with "CLONE" on the screen untill switchd off.

OK. That tells us the radio is not receiving the data from the computer. Otherwise, the radio would display "oK". There are basically only three components involved in this signal path: Q3 and the 4.7k and diode that are connected directly to it. First, double check the resistor value and the diode orientation.

Do you have a multimeter? We could measure some voltages in your circuit to see if that reveals a hint.

>do you think it may
>be serial port incompatibility ?.

It could be. Some computers, particularly laptops, produce too little voltage on the serial port. This circuit, however, should not be very picky about that.

>I mean pentium 4, 3.4 ghz may be
>to fast on the serial data.

No. Computer speed is not an issue. The serial port runs at 9600 bps no matter how fast or slow the computer is. I have an Intel Core2 Duo 3GHz.

>I now take it that my pcb traces are all leading to the correct
>components, and that, other than the Q3 being wrong (now sorted)
>everything else is ok is it helge ?.

Since it is still not working, there is at least one more problem :-)

>Maybe I should try a windows 98 machine 300mhz such as my
>mates old laptop.

It could be well worth a try.

>I just dont know if there are some dj x3's out there that are unable
>to be programmed , I mean a lot of people here say they cant get
>it to program , and others say its fine.

Part of the problem is probably a lot of incorrect information. Yours say "corrected", but are still wrong. I found the original from which yours was made. It was, of course, also incorrect.

>Any other ideas helge ?

Debugging hardware remotely is never easy. But if you have or would be willing to get a multimeter, I could think of a couple more things to test. You only need the simplest, cheapest one you can find. You should easily be able to get under 10 quid.

>I may try the max3232 pcb posted in the group files area, as a last
>attempt to get this radio to connect,

The MAX232 and its siblings do a very good job. The problem is, they need an external power supply.

>if that fails ,then its addios
>to linking it with my pc forever.

It's a bit early to give up, isn't it?
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Helge Wunderlich

524. Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE REPLY TO helge

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-07-31 22:19:48 UTC
From: icomradio128
Topic: 508 Message: 524

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Helge <helgex3@...> wrote:
>
> On Wed, 30 Jul 2008 20:50:05 -0000, "icomradio128" wrote:
> >> >I would be greatful if you could look at my pcb, to see if I have
> >> >gone wrong anywhere.
>
> I just noticed another minor error. It does not, however, make any
> difference on the function in this case: Pin 1 on the DB9 connector is
> labeled "CG", which I assume means "Chassis Ground". This is not
> correct. Pin 1 on a 9-pin serial port is "Data Carrier Detect", "DCD"
> or just "CD".
>
> In your circuit, it is connected to signal ground. Since the software
> does not use this signal at all, it is no problem. On my cable, this
> pin is completely unconnected.
>
> >Yes the radio stays with "CLONE" on the screen untill switchd off.
>
> OK. That tells us the radio is not receiving the data from the
> computer. Otherwise, the radio would display "oK". There are basically
> only three components involved in this signal path: Q3 and the 4.7k
> and diode that are connected directly to it. First, double check the
> resistor value and the diode orientation.
>
> Do you have a multimeter? We could measure some voltages in your
> circuit to see if that reveals a hint.
>
> >do you think it may
> >be serial port incompatibility ?.
>
> It could be. Some computers, particularly laptops, produce too little
> voltage on the serial port. This circuit, however, should not be very
> picky about that.
>
> >I mean pentium 4, 3.4 ghz may be
> >to fast on the serial data.
>
> No. Computer speed is not an issue. The serial port runs at 9600 bps
> no matter how fast or slow the computer is. I have an Intel Core2 Duo
> 3GHz.
>
> >I now take it that my pcb traces are all leading to the correct
> >components, and that, other than the Q3 being wrong (now sorted)
> >everything else is ok is it helge ?.

>
> Since it is still not working, there is at least one more problem :-)
>
> >Maybe I should try a windows 98 machine 300mhz such as my
> >mates old laptop.
>
> It could be well worth a try.
>
> >I just dont know if there are some dj x3's out there that are unable
> >to be programmed , I mean a lot of people here say they cant get
> >it to program , and others say its fine.
>
> Part of the problem is probably a lot of incorrect information. Yours
> say "corrected", but are still wrong. I found the original from which
> yours was made. It was, of course, also incorrect.
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> >Any other ideas helge ?
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> need an external power supply.
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> >if that fails ,then its addios
> >to linking it with my pc forever.
>
> It's a bit early to give up, isn't it?
> --
> Helge Wunderlich

Hi Helge,
Yes I do have a multimeter.
Strangely ,since my post yesterday, I too noticed the pin 1 error on
the schematic. I only discovered it when I downloaded your 3
transistor surface mount version of the interface.

I then cut away the copper surrounding it, to isolate it from the
circuit.Then retried the interface (just getting same error message
again).

I turned Q3 around (after you noticed it being the wrong way.)All
3 transistors were tested after soldering, by placing continuity tester
on them follows...
BC558
black lead on (base) red lead to (emitter)tester LED lights up

black led on (base) red lead on (collector) tester LED lights up.

BC548
Red lead on (base) black on (emitter)tester LED lights up
red on (base) black on (collector) tester LED lights up.

The orientation of the diodes ,I think are correct, but I havent paid any attention to the resistors yet, so maybe they could be at fault.
I use my com 1 for pic programmer with no problems,so this would indicate serial port is ok.

I am going to post a photo of my built board, rather than the pcb drawing that I posted, as this will clearly show the orientation of the components as they are now ect.
file will be entitled (INTER PHOTO.zip).

Then after you have looked at this against the schematic, I can then take your instructions regarding what to check with the multimeter ok helge.

Oh and thanks for your kind help so far my friend.

Thanks.

525. Interface Cable Loopback Tester

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-01 07:27:41 UTC
From: Iain
Topic: 525 Message: 525

I placed an Interface Cable Loopback Tester app. in the files section.
I used this app. to test over 500 Yaesu, ICOM and Alinco cables that
I've sold over the years. Essentially, if your cable passes the
loopback test you *should* be good to go, especially if you use the DJ-
X3MMU software.

Hope this helps.

Cheers,
Iain - M0VPE
iain at m0vpe.co.uk

526. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE REPLY TO helge

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-01 11:07:32 UTC
From: Helge
Topic: 508 Message: 526

On Thu, 31 Jul 2008 22:19:48 -0000, "icomradio128" wrote:

>The orientation of the diodes ,I think are correct, but I havent
>paid any attention to the resistors yet, so maybe they could be at
>fault.

The diodes look fine, but the resistors do not. Their values seem to
be too small by a factor of a thousand.

4.7k should be yellow-purple-red
47k should be yellow-purple-orange
100k should be brown-black-yellow

The exception is the one you have pointed to. I can't quite see what
colour it is, but it looks like maybe gray-purple-black. If so, it is
87ohm, which is also far off the correct value.

527. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Interface Cable Loopback Tester

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-02 12:11:34 UTC
From: Helge
Topic: 525 Message: 527

On Fri, 01 Aug 2008 07:27:41 -0000, "Iain" wrote:

>Essentially, if your cable passes the
>loopback test you *should* be good to go

Your emphasis on "should" is important. The test simply sends some
data and checks if the same data comes back.

With the cable that has been discussed here the last couple of days,
the test fails unless the radio is connected and batteries installed.
The radio must be in clone mode or powered off.

The reason for this is that the cable does not have a pull-up resistor
on the output. The DJ-X3 has built-in pull-up, so as soon as the radio
is connected, the cable works correctly.

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Helge.

528. New file uploaded to alinco-dj-x3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-02 12:52:00 UTC
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 11 Message: 528

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the alinco-dj-x3
group.

File : /Software/x3snoopinstaller.exe
Uploaded by : helgeww <helgex3@...>
Description : Tool to examine the memory map

You can access this file at the URL:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/files/Software/x3snoopinstaller.exe

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
http://help.yahoo.com/l/us/yahoo/groups/original/members/web/index.htmlfiles

Regards,

helgeww <helgex3@...>

529. Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE REPLY TO helge

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-02 16:27:30 UTC
From: icomradio128
Topic: 508 Message: 529

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Helge <helgex3@...> wrote:
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> On Thu, 31 Jul 2008 22:19:48 -0000, "icomradio128" wrote:
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> be too small by a factor of a thousand.
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> 4.7k should be yellow-purple-red
> 47k should be yellow-purple-orange
> 100k should be brown-black-yellow
>
> The exception is the one you have pointed to. I can't quite see what
> colour it is, but it looks like maybe gray-purple-black. If so, it is
> 87ohm, which is also far off the correct value.
>
It turns out that you are right about the resistors, all have now been changed to correct values, and the interface is now working with the MMU, program but not with the alinco 1.3.5 program,or 1.3.2.
How this happened with the resistors,is a mystery other than the shop Maplins gave me incorrect resistors.But even so I should have put them on a multimeter.I should now get sent to siberia to shovel snow for the rest of my life,as a punishment.
Thank you so much helge for your help and patience.

The test program kindly posted, has shown the interface as passed ("use com 1)Message.

So I guess the interface is now ok.
Strange thing is, that it wont work with the 1.3.5 alinco program, although I do get "ok" on the radio when clicking on screen button it still reports "communications error cannot find dj x3" on the pc.

The MMU program sends to the radio correctly, but
when I read from the radio it shows when the blue % is complete a blanc list of channels ie: as if no entered channels from the radio was upped to the pc.

When I enter channel data into the MMU program as a list of say 20 seperate channel with mode ,step ect.

I then send it to the radio (blue % bar completes) then I check on the radio ,and all sent channels are correctly written.

So why dont they show in a new list on the pc ,when reading back?.

Also what possibly can cause the alinco programming software to not work with the interface ?.

Anyway, best regards to every one who helped on this, I will be more carefull in the future on bringing out the multimeter instead of taking for granted that I just soldered the correct value.

Many thanks all

530. Re: Interface Cable Loopback Tester

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-02 22:29:08 UTC
From: icomradio128
Topic: 525 Message: 530

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Iain" <iain@...> wrote:
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> I placed an Interface Cable Loopback Tester app. in the files section.
> I used this app. to test over 500 Yaesu, ICOM and Alinco cables that
> I've sold over the years. Essentially, if your cable passes the
> loopback test you *should* be good to go, especially if you use the DJ-
> X3MMU software.
>
> Hope this helps.
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> Cheers,
> Iain - M0VPE
> iain at m0vpe.co.uk
>Thanks iain,
it passed the test software,after replacing some resistors.And your
right it works only especialy with the djx3MMU program (not the alinco
1.3.5 or 1.3.2 software).

I write to dj-x3 radio with channels entered into MMU, and they are
all on the radio correctly placed.
But reading from the radio with MMU doesnt show any stored data
on the MMU screen.

Any ideas ?.
Regards.

531. Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE ?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-02 23:04:15 UTC
From: michal_b3vdgctx9c
Topic: 508 Message: 531

I think there is one error. Emitter Q1 must go to collector Q3 (not to emitter how is in your interface). Emitter Q3 ---> to GND. I think the rest is ok, but check the rest. This interface must working. By me is all ok :)

> Hi michal_b3vdg.
> If you built this same interface, then please look at my (LOOK AT
> THIS.zip) posted in the files area.
>
> It contains my built pcb, and part placement silk, maybe you will
> notice somthing is wrong with it ,I dont know?.
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> Thanks.
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> > --- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "icomradio128" <cobra148@> wrote:
> > >
> > > Hi,
> > > I have built this interface here
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>
http://f1.grp.yahoofs.com/v1/UBSPSKYIlrhVZQDIDsRLsNrZBwbxEBx6844u0sm-B2fKXH7pf4PUJxPX7r5GbxNgOKw2HNz_oHgTVWOdMq4hauj8uSljRCfvEJHo/Interface-Circuits/interface.gif
> > > and cannot get it to work at all.
> > >
> > > I have checked ,and checked the board, but it still doesnt work.
> > > I have tried to use it with the alinco 1.3.5 update program, and the
> > > DJ-X3MMU program.But it just says cannot find dj-x3.
> > >
> > > I am starting to think the schematic is wrong, unless others have
> > > successfully built it.

> > >
> > > Please let me know what works for you.
> > > Thanks.
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532. Re: Interface Cable Loopback Tester

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-03 10:28:58 UTC
From: Iain
Topic: 525 Message: 532

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "icomradio128" <cobra148@...>
wrote:
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> --- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Iain" <iain@> wrote:
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> >
> > I placed an Interface Cable Loopback Tester app. in the files
section.
> > I used this app. to test over 500 Yaesu, ICOM and Alinco cables
that
> > I've sold over the years. Essentially, if your cable passes the
> > loopback test you *should* be good to go, especially if you use
the DJ-
> > X3MMU software.
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> > Hope this helps.
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> >Thanks iain,
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> 1.3.5 or 1.3.2 software).
>
> I write to dj-x3 radio with channels entered into MMU, and they are
> all on the radio correctly placed.
> But reading from the radio with MMU doesnt show any stored data
> on the MMU screen.
>
> Any ideas ?.
> Regards.
>
Great news! Glad you've got it almost working. What Java JRE version
are you using to run DJ-X3MMU? I've never seen this issue before
with the application, it usually works 100% or not at all.

Cheers,
Iain

533. X3 SnoopInstaller.exe

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-03 10:34:55 UTC
From: Iain
Topic: 533 Message: 533

Has anyone got this to install correctly? The installation fails on my XP PC with the following message "...some of the system files are out of date on your system...". If I click OK to allow the Setup to update the files and restart the PC I still get the same error.

Any ideas?

Cheers,
Iain

534. Radio Reference Database

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-03 10:39:40 UTC
From: Iain
Topic: 534 Message: 534

Does anyone here make use of the Radio Reference website / database at:

www.RadioReference.com

Cheers,
Iain

535. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE REPLY TO helge

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-03 13:16:51 UTC
From: Helge
Topic: 508 Message: 535

On Sat, 02 Aug 2008 16:27:30 -0000, "icomradio128" wrote:

>The test program kindly posted, has shown the interface as passed
>("use com 1)Message.

Did the test program pass when the radio was not connected? Mine does
not, and as far as I can interpret the schematics, it should not.

>So I guess the interface is now ok.

Not necessarily. The test program does not actually test the
connection with the radio. As an additional test, you can power on the
radio in clone mode and then run the cable test. You should get
something like:

COM 1:
E6

ERROR: Test failed!
Received Data Corrupt!
Sent: 00
Received: E6

>Strange thing is, that it wont work with the 1.3.5 alinco program,
>although I do get "ok" on the radio when clicking on screen button it
>still reports "communications error cannot find dj x3" on the pc.

That would suggest that data from the PC to the radio arrives
correctly, but the return data do not arrive at the PC.

If I remember correctly, this is also the exact symptom many users
complained about when they converted to Windows XP.

>When I enter channel data into the MMU program as a list of say
>20 seperate channel with mode ,step ect.
>
>I then send it to the radio (blue % bar completes) then I check
>on the radio ,and all sent channels are correctly written.
>
>So why dont they show in a new list on the pc ,when reading back?.

If I understand you correctly, you can now send data to the radio, but
not in any way get data back from the radio to the PC?

Try the trick that Chris suggested: Start and connect a terminal
program, such as Hyper Terminal, and the press the dial knob. You

should get some text on screen similar to:

AL~F0000W660019001E060600
COM ERROR

I can't quite see on your picture, but the connection between pins 4 and 6 on the DB9 connector seems like it may be broken. It should not make a difference unless the application checks the DSR signal. I don't think most of them do.
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Helge W

536. Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE REPLY TO helge

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-03 18:33:08 UTC
From: icomradio128
Topic: 508 Message: 536

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--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Helge <helgex3@...> wrote:
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> On Sat, 02 Aug 2008 16:27:30 -0000, "icomradio128" wrote:
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> not, and as far as I can interpret the schematics, it should not.
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> Not necessarily. The test program does not actually test the
> connection with the radio. As an additional test, you can power on the
> radio in clone mode and then run the cable test. You should get
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> and 6 on the DB9 connector seems like it may be broken. It should not
> make a difference unless the application checks the DSR signal. I
> don't think most of them do.
> --
> Helge W

Hi helge,
Firstly, I can use the hyper terminal (as it reports error no modem found) message.
I am not sure how to use the terminal anyway, but using the m0vpe test program (with or without radio connected)& radio in clone mode it passes. see my posted small video clips of screen captures (interface usage clips.zip).

This zip shows clips of the tests, plus uploading to djx3mmu software.It also shows the Alinco 1.3.5 errors when attempting to connect to the radio.

When I did try to use the hyper terminal & pressing the radio dial,I saw nothing on the pc screen, but on the radio it said "sd0000 Com Error".
But when I am reading the radio with MMU program the radio digits are rotating showing activity.
Then when MMU completes the reading at 100%,the radio says "PASS"
The activity shown on the radio screen digits rotating while reading to the pc, is the same activity I see when writing with MMU also the "PASS" shows when 100% written.

So, as far as I can see ,the radio digits rotating on the upload to pc along with the PASS ,seems to me that the radio is sending the data.
Because its the same effect when writing to the radio (the digits rotate)untill I see PASS.

Its definately writing my desired frequencies to the radio, but reading from the radio seems to go through a cycle of appearing to be read,without being read.

In answer to M0vPE's question of what java version I have,
I am using ver 1.5.0_06.
Anyway ,this is strange that I cannot read data, please look at my posted video clips in the zip file, where you will see what I am up against.

I dont know if this is an xp issue, hope not.
Helge pins 4-6 turn out to be fine, as checked with meter.

If you can offer some tips on using the hyper terminal with the interface connected to the radio,It would be much appreciated.

Regards to all.

537. New file uploaded to alinco-dj-x3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-03 18:36:37 UTC
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 11 Message: 537

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the alinco-dj-x3
group.

File : /Interface-Circuits/interface usage clips.zip
Uploaded by : icomradio128 <cobra148@...>
Description : A few movie clips of interface using various programs

You can access this file at the URL:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/files/Interface-Circuits/interface%20usage%20clips.zip

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
http://help.yahoo.com/l/us/yahoo/groups/original/members/web/index.htmlfiles

Regards,

icomradio128 <cobra148@...>

538. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE REPLY TO helge

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-03 20:07:33 UTC
From: Helge
Topic: 508 Message: 538

On Sun, 03 Aug 2008 18:33:08 -0000, "icomradio128"
<cobra148@...> wrote:

>Firstly, I can use the hyper terminal (as it reports error no modem
>found) message.

Yes, the user interface is not very intuitive there. See detailed
description below.

>I am not sure how to use the terminal anyway, but using the m0vpe test
>program (with or without radio connected)& radio in clone mode it
>passes. see my posted small video clips of screen captures (interface
>usage clips.zip).

This means that the interface is able to return the data it is sending
itself, but not the data that comes from the radio.

>When I did try to use the hyper terminal & pressing the radio dial,I
>saw nothing on the pc screen, but on the radio it said "sd0000 Com Error".

That is as expected. When the radio does not detect another radio on
the other end of the cable, it displays this error message. It does,
however, send out a few bytes of data before it gives up, and that
data is what we are looking for.

>But when I am reading the radio with MMU program the radio digits
>are rotating showing activity.

I suspect the MMU program does not check for an actual reply from the
radio before it requests the next set of data. Iain may be able to
confirm my suspicions.

>So, as far as I can see ,the radio digits rotating on the upload to pc
>along with the PASS ,seems to me that the radio is sending the data.

Yes, that's right. The radio is sending data, but the interface is not
passing the data along to the PC.

>I dont know if this is an xp issue, hope not.

I doubt it. The Hyper Terminal test will help us make sure.

>Helge pins 4-6 turn out to be fine, as checked with meter.

Good. That will make sure Hyper Terminal thinks it is online.

>If you can offer some tips on using the hyper terminal with the
>interface connected to the radio,It would be much appreciated.

First time you start HT, it will ask you to setup location information, unless you have done so before. This is not important to us. Just click "OK" and "OK" again on the "Dialing Rules" dialog.

You will now be asked for a "Connection Description". Enter "port1" and click "OK".

In the "Connect To" dialog, select "COM1" under "Connect using". The other fields will turn gray once you select the COM port. Click "OK".

In the "COM1 Properties" dialog, select:
Bits per second: 9600
Data bits: 8
Parity: none
Stop bits: 1
Flow control: none
Click "OK".

Check that the text on the very left side of the status bar at the bottom of the window says "Connected". A clock will start running. If you are not connected, try pressing "enter" a couple of times.

To positively test that you are connected, enter "AL" (uppercase without quotes), and press "enter". The radio should display "oK". Also, you should see "OK" on the screen.

Now press the dial knob. The display on the radio will display "Sd0000" for a brief moment and then turn to "comErr". The Hyper Terminal display should now show something similar to:

AL~F0000W660A00001B060600
COM ERROR

If it does not, it is time to get out multimeter.
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Helge

539. Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE REPLY TO helge

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-04 07:07:18 UTC
From: michal_b3vdgctx9c
Topic: 508 Message: 539

This is my interface

http://img137.imageshack.us/img137/584/dscn2029hq0.jpg
http://img137.imageshack.us/img137/1599/dscn2031fb6.jpg
http://img137.imageshack.us/img137/6739/dscn2035pl2.jpg

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http://f1.grp.yahoofs.com/v1/8KiWSDCZWJBKi7ol9DLEI0E3a5_A6xi1hOWZPtKJZsGoYEs45BaMMyG083Gdc9VVK_n13JJjkvHgAGgfScIkbucfQ8oAutH0a-YqQ35jPbY/Interface-Circuits/interface.gif

It must work.

540. Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE REPLY TO helge

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-04 11:26:43 UTC
From: icomradio128
Topic: 508 Message: 540

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Helge <helgex3@...> wrote:
>
> On Sun, 03 Aug 2008 18:33:08 -0000, "icomradio128"
> <cobra148@...> wrote:
>
> >Firstly, I can use the hyper terminal (as it reports error no modem
> >found) message.
>
> Yes, the user interface is not very intuitive there. See detailed
> description below.
>
> >I am not sure how to use the terminal anyway, but using the m0vpe test
> >program (with or without radio connected)& radio in clone mode it
> >passes. see my posted small video clips of screen captures (interface
> >usage clips.zip).
>
> This means that the interface is able to return the data it is Asending
> itself, but not the data that comes from the radio.
>
> >When I did try to use the hyper terminal & pressing the radio dial,I
> >saw nothing on the pc screen, but on the radio it said "sd0000 Com
Error".
>
> That is as expected. When the radio does not detect another radio on
> the other end of the cable, it displays this error message. It does,
> however, send out a few bytes of data before it gives up, and that
> data is what we are looking for.
>
> >But when I am reading the radio with MMU program the radio digits
> >are rotating showing activity.
>
> I suspect the MMU program does not check for an actual reply from the
> radio before it requests the next set of data. Iain may be able to
> confirm my suspicions.
>
> >So, as far as I can see ,the radio digits rotating on the upload to pc
> >along with the PASS ,seems to me that the radio is sending the data.
>
> Yes, that's right. The radio is sending data, but the interface is not
> passing the data along to the PC.
>
> >I dont know if this is an xp issue, hope not.
>
> I doubt it. The Hyper Terminal test will help us make sure.

>
> >Helge pins 4-6 turn out to be fine, as checked with meter.
>
> Good. That will make sure Hyper Terminal thinks it is online.
>
> >If you can offer some tips on using the hyper terminal with the
> >interface connected to the radio,It would be much appreciated.
>
> First time you start HT, it will ask you to setup location
> information, unless you have done so before. This is not important to
> us. Just click "OK" and "OK" again on the "Dialing Rules" dialog.
>
> You will now be asked for a "Connection Description". Enter "port1"
> and click "OK".
>
> In the "Connect To" dialog, select "COM1" under "Connect using". The
> other fields will turn gray once you select the COM port. Click "OK".
>
> In the "COM1 Properties" dialog, select:
> Bits per second: 9600
> Data bits: 8
> Parity: none
> Stop bits: 1
> Flow control: none
> Click "OK".
>
> Check that the text on the very left side of the status bar at the
> bottom of the window says "Connected". A clock will start running. If
> you are not connected, try pressing "enter" a couple of times.
>
> To positively test that you are connected, enter "AL" (uppercase
> without quotes), and press "enter". The radio should display "oK".
> Also, you should see "OK" on the screen.
>
> Now press the dial knob. The display on the radio will display
> "Sd0000" for a brief moment and then turn to "comErr". The Hyper
> Terminal display should now show something similar to:
>
> AL~F0000W660A00001B060600
> COM ERROR
>
> If it does not, it is time to get out multimeter.
> --
> Helge
>
Ok, I have just tried the hyper terminal following your instructions.
HT screen says connected at bottom left ,clock running,& next to that
It says 9600 8-N-1 (perimeters set as you stated above).

I put the radio in "clone" and typed AL without quotes on the HT screen & pressed "enter" radio did not say "ok" nothing changed on HT screen (radio still says "clone").
At this time I press the dial on radio in clone mode & radio says "sd0000 com error" nothing on HT screen changes.

So it looks like HT doesnt send or receive through my interface while Iain's MMu has successfully written channel data to the radio. Confirmed by manually checking stored channels and step size allocations ect ,after sending.

I am ready to use the multimeter to trace the possible cause,if we can refer to my photo of the board (as it is now)NEW.ZIP for locating points.Obviously I have changed the resistors since you noticed,and the store checked them to be 47k even though the colour is (yellow - violet-black -red)shows to be 47.0 on my meter also (meter set to 200k).

I rotated the Q3 to the correct orientation (Q3 collector to Q1 emitter).So please look at NEW.ZIP (this is my board since changes were made)for reference with the multimeter.

Thanks helge,Iain & (michael for posting your interface pics).

541. Re: Radio Reference Database

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-04 11:41:35 UTC
From: icomradio128
Topic: 534 Message: 541

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Iain" <iain@...> wrote:
>
> Does anyone here make use of the Radio Reference website / database at:
>
> www.RadioReference.com
>
> Cheers,
> Iain
>Hi thanks Iain,
I will have a browse through, also I have replied to your question about
my java version being 1.5.0_06 in my reply to helge.
Also posted a few video screen captures of my problem when reading with
your program, and also showing the test results.

Thanks mate.

542. Re: X3 SnoopInstaller.exe

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-04 11:44:00 UTC
From: icomradio128
Topic: 533 Message: 542

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--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Iain" <iain@...> wrote:
>
> Has anyone got this to install correctly? The installation fails on my
> XP PC with the following message "...some of the system files are out
> of date on your system...". If I click OK to allow the Setup to update
> the files and restart the PC I still get the same error.
>
> Any ideas?
>
> Cheers,
> Iain
>
Same thing on my xp Iain, dont know what this proggy does though?.
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543. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] X3 SnoopInstaller.exe

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-04 17:44:55 UTC
From: Helge
Topic: 533 Message: 543

On Sun, 03 Aug 2008 10:34:55 -0000, "Iain" <iain@...> wrote:

>Has anyone got this to install correctly?

I have tested it on three different XP machines, one of which
completely freshly installed with SP3.

It may be a locale specific problem. I'll do some more testing...
--
Helge

544. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE REPLY TO helge

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-04 18:11:17 UTC
From: Helge
Topic: 508 Message: 544

On Mon, 04 Aug 2008 11:26:43 -0000, "icomradio128"
<cobra148@...> wrote:

>Ok, I have just tried the hyper terminal following your instructions.
>HT screen says connected at bottom left ,clock running,& next to that
>It says 9600 8-N-1 (perimeters set as you stated above).
>
>I put the radio in "clone" and typed AL without quotes on the HT
>screen & pressed "enter" radio did not say "ok" nothing changed on HT
>screen (radio still says "clone").

That is very strange. Could it be you accidentally left flow control
at something else than "none"?

>I am ready to use the multimeter to trace the possible cause,if we
>can refer to my photo of the board (as it is now)NEW.ZIP for locating
>points.

That's very good. You have mislabeled Q3 on the copper side, but I can
figure it out.

>Obviously I have changed the resistors since you noticed,and
>the store checked them to be 47k even though the colour is (yellow -
>violet-black -red)shows to be 47.0 on my meter also (meter set to 200k).

Yes, high-precision resistors normally have four colour bands. The
three first represent the three first digits and the fourth bands
represents number of zeroes.

>I rotated the Q3 to the correct orientation (Q3 collector to Q1
>emitter).So please look at NEW.ZIP (this is my board since changes
>were made)for reference with the multimeter.

This picture has much better lighting than the previous one. Before
you start measuring voltages, take a look at your jumper wire. It
seems to not be connected to where you have labeled the emitter. On
the component side, though, it seems the transistor is "stretching"
its leg a bit, so it might be OK anyway.

Since you got no results from the HT test, I am a bit unsure where to
start. If possible, maybe we should simply take a bunch of
measurements, and then see if something shows up:

1. Connect the cable to the PC, but not to the radio.
2. Start HT and make sure it is connected (clock ticking).
3. Connect the negative lead from your multimeter to GND. That's pin 5

on the DB9 connector or somewhere else on the large ground plane.
Leave it connected there for all measurements.
4. Measure the voltage on each pin of each transistor.
5. Measure the voltage on pin 4/6 on the DB9 connector.
6. Connect the radio and power it up in clone mode.
7. Repeat all the voltage measurements.

That's a grand total of 20 measurements, but I think this is a much faster approach than making one or two measurements each day and bouncing mails back and forth for every measurement.
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Helge

545. Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE REPLY TO helge

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-05 13:40:13 UTC
From: icomradio128
Topic: 508 Message: 545

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Helge <helgex3@...> wrote:
>
> On Mon, 04 Aug 2008 11:26:43 -0000, "icomradio128"
> <cobra148@...> wrote:
>
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> >HT screen says connected at bottom left ,clock running,& next to that
> >It says 9600 8-N-1 (perimeters set as you stated above).
> >
> >I put the radio in "clone" and typed AL without quotes on the HT
> >screen & pressed "enter" radio did not say "ok" nothing changed on HT
> >screen (radio still says "clone").
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> That is very strange. Could it be you accidentally left flow control
> at something else than "none"?
>
> >I am ready to use the multimeter to trace the possible cause,if we
> >can refer to my photo of the board (as it is now)NEW.ZIP for locating
> >points.
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> figure it out.
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> >Obviously I have changed the resistors since you noticed,and
> >the store checked them to be 47k even though the colour is (yellow -
> >violet-black -red)shows to be 47.0 on my meter also (meter set to
200k).
>
> Yes, high-precision resistors normally have four colour bands. The
> three first represent the three first digits and the fourth bands
> represents number of zeroes.
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> >I rotated the Q3 to the correct orientation (Q3 collector to Q1
> >emitter).So please look at NEW.ZIP (this is my board since changes
> >were made)for reference with the multimeter.
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> you start measuring voltages, take a look at your jumper wire. It
> seems to not be connected to where you have labeled the emitter. On
> the component side, though, it seems the transistor is "stretching"
> its leg a bit, so it might be OK anyway.
>
> Since you got no results from the HT test, I am a bit unsure where to
> start. If possible, maybe we should simply take a bunch of

> measurements, and then see if something shows up:
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> 3. Connect the negative lead from your multimeter to GND. That's pin 5
> on the DB9 connector or somewhere else on the large ground plane.
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> 7. Repeat all the voltage measurements.
>
> That's a grand total of 20 measurements, but I think this is a much
> faster approach than making one or two measurements each day and
> bouncing mails back and forth for every measurement.
> --
> Helge
>

Hi helge.
I have tried HT program again, set all parimeters to what you specified.
Typed AL pressed enter ,but still didnt get a response from radio.
This is with all com1 port settings done I:E (stop bits , flow control
"none" ect).

But, then I (space barred) the AL out , then used the (backspace key)
, Then typed AL again and pressed "enter" I got "ok" on the radio. (No
ok on HT screen though).I am sure my home is connected to the bermuda
triangle,or at least part of the twilight zone lol.

I then Pressed dial on the radio (no response from HT).
So radio got HT tx . - But no RX to pc occured.

Jumper wire from Q2 emitter pad to (DB9 pin 3 trace) was ok (Added
more solder across to emitter to be sure).

Went ahead with full voltage measurements of all the points you requested
HT connected running with clock ticking.
Not sure If I needed to type AL & press enter here ,but I will measure
without it.

Here are the results..... Radio not connected to cable.
METER SET TO 20v - neg to Ground Plane
Q1 B 0.00 C 0.00 E 8.18
Q2 B 8.26 C 0.50 E 8.90
Q3 B 0.62 C 0.00 E 0.00
DB9 PIN 4 - 6 9.00

Here are the results .....Radio connected to cable. (AND IN CLONE MODE)
METER SET TO 20v
TYPED AL in HT pressed "enter" to get "ok" on radio (not sure if I
was supposed to do this)

Q1 B 1.30 C 1.88 E 1.90
Q2 B 8.13 C 0.98 E 8.79
Q3 B 0.62 C 1.90 E 0.00
DB9 PIN 4 - 6 8.96

Thanks & Regards

546. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE REPLY TO helge

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-05 18:48:49 UTC
From: william morgan griffiths
Topic: 508 Message: 546

Hello,

I bought a made up cable and downloaded software to down load frequencies to the djx3 and have to say it was never a success unfortunately and reverted to manual input - just as quick I found and a very good little radio - till some bad mannered person stole it from a hire car in Bergamo ITALY last summer. I replaced it with the DJX30 a real dream to down load frequencies to - can be put in csv format and downloaded to the radio or up loaded altered and resent.

Sorry it's not encouraging but I thought I would share that with you.

Kindest regards

Morgan MD0DXW

On Sun, 2008-08-03 at 15:16 +0200, Helge wrote:
> On Sat, 02 Aug 2008 16:27:30 -0000, "icomradio128" wrote:
>
> >The test program kindly posted, has shown the interface as passed
> >("use com 1)Message.
>
> Did the test program pass when the radio was not connected? Mine does
> not, and as far as I can interpret the schematics, it should not.
>
> >So I guess the interface is now ok.
>
> Not necessarily. The test program does not actually test the
> connection with the radio. As an additional test, you can power on the
> radio in clone mode and then run the cable test. You should get
> something like:
>
> COM 1:
> E6
>
> ERROR: Test failed!
> Received Data Corrupt!
> Sent: 00
> Received: E6
>
> >Strange thing is, that it wont work with the 1.3.5 alinco program,
> >although I do get "ok" on the radio when clicking on screen button it
> >still reports "communications error cannot find dj x3" on the pc.
>
> That would suggest that data from the PC to the radio arrives

> correctly, but the return data do not arrive at the PC.
>
> If I remember correctly, this is also the exact symptom many users
> complained about when they converted to Windows XP.
>
> >When I enter channel data into the MMU program as a list of say
> >20 seperate channel with mode ,step ect.
> >
> >I then send it to the radio (blue % bar completes) then I check
> >on the radio ,and all sent channels are correctly written.
> >
> >So why dont they show in a new list on the pc ,when reading back?.
>
> If I understand you correctly, you can now send data to the radio, but
> not in any way get data back from the radio to the PC?
>
> Try the trick that Chris suggested: Start and connect a terminal
> program, such as Hyper Terminal, and the press the dial knob. You
> should get some text on screen similar to:
>
> AL~F0000W660019001E060600
> COM ERROR
>
> I can't quite see on your picture, but the connection between pins 4
> and 6 on the DB9 connector seems like it may be broken. It should not
> make a difference unless the application checks the DSR signal. I
> don't think most of them do.
> --
> Helge W
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>

547. Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE REPLY TO helge

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-05 19:09:19 UTC
From: icomradio128
Topic: 508 Message: 547

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<wmorgan@...> wrote:
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> unfortunately and reverted to manual input - just as quick I found and a
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> > I can't quite see on your picture, but the connection between pins 4
> > and 6 on the DB9 connector seems like it may be broken. It should not
> > make a difference unless the application checks the DSR signal. I
> > don't think most of them do.
> > --
> > Helge W
> >
> >
> >
> >
>

Hi morgan.
Thats ok mate, I understand, thank you for sharing your experience
on owning the dj-x3.
Yes I also purchased a commercial cable, it didnt work with alinco
software or djx3mmu it was (usb type) of cable.

So I set about making my own, and have been facing lots of problems
untill I had help from helge & Iain.
Now at least it sends my entered data to the radio with the MMU
program, and I can save the long list of frequency's to a pc file
before closing.

But my problem is reading from the radio at the moment,to the pc.
So at least there is hope on the horizon of that happening too.

Hope you have loads of fun with the newer model alinco.

Best regards.

548. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE REPLY TO helge

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-05 19:40:35 UTC
From: Helge
Topic: 508 Message: 548

On Tue, 05 Aug 2008 13:40:13 -0000, "icomradio128"
<cobra148@...> wrote:
>Went ahead with full voltage measurements of all the points you requested
>HT connected running with clock ticking.
>Not sure If I needed to type AL & press enter here ,but I will measure
>without it.

Does not matter. The point is that we need pin 4 (DTR) to be pulled to
a high voltage. HT does that when it is connected.

>Here are the results.....

The results are a bit inconclusive. First, it seems you did not notice
that some of the voltages are negative. I intended to warn you about
that, but I forgot. Sorry. Don't redo the measuring job quite yet,
though.

When the radio is connected, the voltages provide no big surprise.

But, when the radio is not connected, there are some mysteries. As you
can see, Q1E and Q3C should be connected, and therefore always have
the exact same voltage. Your measurements show more than 8V of
difference. This suggests that there may be a poor connection
somewhere in this track. If that were true, however, the measurement
with the radio connected should also show a difference. Additionally,
the Q1B and Q1C pins would not show zero.

One explanation for the inconsistency might be that you measured from
below, on the solder pad one time, and from the top onto the
transistor's pin the other time.

Another explanation could be that the connection is intermittent, so
that when you poke the probe at it, it sometimes connects and
sometimes not.

Anyway, based on these results, I have taken another close look at the
pictures. It might seem the Q1 emitter pin is not soldered properly.
It looks like the end of the pin is showing in the hole, but no solder
has reached it. If that is true, it will partly explain the results.
Also, this fault would produce the symptoms you are experiencing.
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Helge

549. New file uploaded to alinco-dj-x3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-06 19:06:52 UTC
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 11 Message: 549

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the alinco-dj-x3
group.

File : /Software/x3snoop.zip
Uploaded by : helgeww <helgex3@...>
Description : A different packaging of x3snoop

You can access this file at the URL:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/files/Software/x3snoop.zip

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
http://help.yahoo.com/l/us/yahoo/groups/original/members/web/index.htmlfiles

Regards,

helgeww <helgex3@...>

550. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] X3 SnoopInstaller.exe

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-06 19:12:33 UTC
From: Helge
Topic: 533 Message: 550

On Sun, 03 Aug 2008 10:34:55 -0000, "Iain" <iain@...> wrote:

>Has anyone got this to install correctly?

I have now tried installing an XP machine from scratch with only
English keyboard and other locale settings. Still no problem.

I have uploaded the same program again, but without the RAR
self-extracting package. This is a plain ZIP file that you have to
unzip to a temporary folder and install from there.

Please test if this makes any difference.
--
Helge

551. Re: X3 SnoopInstaller.exe

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-06 19:24:56 UTC
From: Iain
Topic: 533 Message: 551

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Helge <helgex3@...> wrote:
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> On Sun, 03 Aug 2008 10:34:55 -0000, "Iain" <iain@...> wrote:
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> unzip to a temporary folder and install from there.
>
> Please test if this makes any difference.
> --
> Helge
>
Hi Helge,

No difference here, it still fails to install in exactly the same way.

Cheers,
Iain - M0VPE

552. New file uploaded to alinco-dj-x3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-06 21:37:58 UTC
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 11 Message: 552

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the alinco-dj-x3
group.

File : /Interface-Circuits/FULLY WORKING INTERFACE.rar
Uploaded by : icomradio128 <cobra148@...>
Description : Success AT last - fully working interface with all programs -file contains pcb ,silkscreen, photos ,videos ect. All you need to get your interface working

You can access this file at the URL:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/files/Interface-Circuits/FULLY%20WORKING%20INTERFACE.rar

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
http://help.yahoo.com/l/us/yahoo/groups/original/members/web/index.htmlfiles

Regards,

icomradio128 <cobra148@...>

553. Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE REPLY TO helge

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-06 21:52:09 UTC
From: icomradio128
Topic: 508 Message: 553

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--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Helge <helgex3@...> wrote:
>
> On Tue, 05 Aug 2008 13:40:13 -0000, "icomradio128"
> <cobra148@...> wrote:
> >Went ahead with full voltage measurements of all the points you
requested
> >HT connected running with clock ticking.
> >Not sure If I needed to type AL & press enter here ,but I will measure
> >without it.
>
> Does not matter. The point is that we need pin 4 (DTR) to be pulled to
> a high voltage. HT does that when it is connected.
>
> >Here are the results.....
>
> The results are a bit inconclusive. First, it seems you did not notice
> that some of the voltages are negative. I intended to warn you about
> that, but I forgot. Sorry. Don't redo the measuring job quite yet,
> though.
>
> When the radio is connected, the voltages provide no big surprise.
>
> But, when the radio is not connected, there are some mysteries. As you
> can see, Q1E and Q3C should be connected, and therefore always have
> the exact same voltage. Your measurements show more than 8V of
> difference. This suggests that there may be a poor connection
> somewhere in this track. If that were true, however, the measurement
> with the radio connected should also show a difference. Additionally,
> the Q1B and Q1C pins would not show zero.
>
> One explanation for the inconsistency might be that you measured from
> below, on the solder pad one time, and from the top onto the
> transistor's pin the other time.
>
> Another explanation could be that the connection is intermittent, so
> that when you poke the probe at it, it sometimes connects and
> sometimes not.
>
> Anyway, based on these results, I have taken another close look at the
> pictures. It might seem the Q1 emitter pin is not soldered properly.
> It looks like the end of the pin is showing in the hole, but no solder
> has reached it. If that is true, it will partly explain the results.
> Also, this fault would produce the symptoms you are experiencing.
> --
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> Helge
>
Hi Helge.
Success at last, turns out it was one of the transistors (dont know which one) as I replace Q2 & Q3,which is strange as my little component tester says Led will light if placed across the legs of a transistor (the led lit) so I took it that this was transistors working. But obviously not, anyway thank you for your patience and help.
Also thanks to Iain And michael & anyone else who suggested things.

the interface now works with all 3 programs djx3MMU ,alinco 1.3.2 & 1.3.5
I have posted a file (fully working interface.rar) just in case anyone wants to make one thierselves.
The file contains zoomed photo's , videos of it working, pcb board for printing,and silkscreen placement.Infact all they need to get the interface working.

Many thanks to all,now I can play with my x3.

Regards.

554. New file uploaded to alinco-dj-x3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-07 20:12:58 UTC
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 11 Message: 554

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the alinco-dj-x3
group.

File : /Software/DJ-X3MMU_setup.exe
Uploaded by : m0vpe <iain@...>
Description : DJ-X3 Memory Manager v1.3.04a (auto installer)

You can access this file at the URL:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/files/Software/DJ-X3MMU_setup.exe

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
http://help.yahoo.com/l/us/yahoo/groups/original/members/web/index.htmlfiles

Regards,

m0vpe <iain@...>

555. A question about the interface cable loopback test ?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-07 13:59:05 UTC
From: tld1717
Topic: 555 Message: 555

Hello,
I used the test program on both my computers . One's a laptop
the other a pc, both have Windows XP on them. Both gave the same
reading when connected to the serial port and not the radio.
They read as follows: COM 1 Port already open, then tring other
ports, Com 2 invalid,Com 3 Modem, Com4 invalid port thru to com12
all say invalid ports. At bottom message reads Test failed on all
ports. Check cable connection to serial port ,and try again .

Any ideas? Thanks Alot tld1717

556. A question about the interface cable loopback test ?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-07 14:00:21 UTC
From: tld1717
Topic: 555 Message: 556

Hello,
I used the test program on both my computers . One's a laptop
the other a pc, both have Windows XP on them. Both gave the same
reading when connected to the serial port and not the radio.
They read as follows: COM 1 Port already open, then tring other
ports, Com 2 invalid,Com 3 Modem, Com4 invalid port thru to com12
all say invalid ports. At bottom message reads Test failed on all
ports. Check cable connection to serial port ,and try again .

Any ideas? Thanks Alot tld1717

557. ps. I forgot to tell what kind of cable

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-07 14:11:14 UTC
From: tld1717
Topic: 557 Message: 557

Hello again.
I forgot to tell what kind of cable I was using in my previous message. Its a cable that I ordered from ebay . The paperwork that came with it says its a Alinco Interface Cable , ERW-4C
Made in japan.
Thanks , tld1717

558. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: X3 SnoopInstaller.exe

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-07 20:58:14 UTC
From: Helge
Topic: 533 Message: 558

On Wed, 06 Aug 2008 19:24:56 -0000, "Iain" <iain@...> wrote:

>No difference here, it still fails to install in exactly the same way.

OK. Then, at lease, we know it's a problem with Visual Basic's install
procedure.

It's going to be difficult to troubleshoot, though, since I am not
able to reproduce the problem.

As a first, easy test, try closing all your applications and then
clearing out the TEMP folder, before trying the install again.

Any VB6 experts on the list?
--
Helge

559. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: HAS ANY ONE ACTUALY BUILT & USED THIS DJ-X3 INTERFACE REPLY TO helge

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-07 21:06:20 UTC
From: Helge
Topic: 508 Message: 559

On Wed, 06 Aug 2008 21:52:09 -0000, "icomradio128"
<cobra148@...> wrote:

>Success at last,

Excellent.

>turns out it was one of the transistors (dont know
>which one) as I replace Q2 & Q3,

Must have been Q2, since Q3 is used for transmitting data to the
radio, which worked.

>which is strange as my little
>component tester says Led will light if placed across the legs of a
>transistor (the led lit) so I took it that this was transistors working.

Yes, transistors can fail in many strange ways. Sometimes, a simple
test is not enough to detect the problem.

>But obviously not, anyway thank you for your patience and help.

You are welcome. I am glad you got it working.

>I have posted a file (fully working interface.rar) just in case anyone
>wants to make one thierselves.

That's good. Maybe we should get the old, incorrect file(s) removed,
or at least fixed? Who has the power to do that?
--
Helge

560. Re: ps. I forgot to tell what kind of cable

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-09 10:53:07 UTC
From: icomradio128
Topic: 557 Message: 560

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "tld1717" <tld1717@...> wrote:
>
> Hello again.
> I forgot to tell what kind of cable I was using in my previous
> message. Its a cable that I ordered from ebay . The paperwork
> that came with it says its a Alinco Interface Cable , ERW-4C
> Made in japan.
> Thanks , tld1717

Hello,
I used the test program on both my computers . One's a laptop
the other a pc, both have Windows XP on them. Both gave the same
reading when connected to the serial port and not the radio.
They read as follows: COM 1 Port already open, then tring other
ports, Com 2 invalid,Com 3 Modem, Com4 invalid port thru to com12
all say invalid ports. At bottom message reads Test failed on all
ports. Check cable connection to serial port ,and try again .

Hi,
It could be that you need to go to (control panel) (performace &
maintenance)(system)choose the hardware tab and click device manager.

look at (PORTS com & lpt)
Look for what says communications port (COM1) or whatever port number
is present ,something is using your com1 if its open.

I have purchased cables from ebay, and found that they dont work, usb
or serial port types.

Regards.
>

561. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] A question about the interface cable loopback test ?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-09 22:07:44 UTC
From: Helge
Topic: 555 Message: 561

On Thu, 07 Aug 2008 13:59:05 -0000, "tld1717" <tld1717@...>
wrote:

>COM 1 Port already open

That error message normally means that another application is using
the serial port. Figuring out which one, is not always trivial. Look
for applications that sync with external devices, such as mobile
phones, MP3 players etc. Try stopping them and then run the test
again.
--
Helge

562. Re: A question about the interface cable loopback test ?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-10 04:42:46 UTC
From: tld1717
Topic: 555 Message: 562

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Helge <helgex3@...> wrote:
>
> On Thu, 07 Aug 2008 13:59:05 -0000, "tld1717" <tld1717@...>
> wrote:
>
> >COM 1 Port already open
>
> That error message normally means that another application is using
> the serial port. Figuring out which one, is not always trivial.
Look
> for applications that sync with external devices, such as mobile
> phones, MP3 players etc. Try stopping them and then run the test
> again.
> --
> Helge
>
Hello,
And thanks for your responce .I know just enough about a computers
tech stuff to really cause a problem.LOL ! How if its not too much
trouble do you check for applications that sync with external
devices?
Thanks Alot for the help!!!
tld1717

563. Re: X3 SnoopInstaller.exe

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-10 14:54:38 UTC
From: icomradio128
Topic: 533 Message: 563

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Helge <helgex3@...> wrote:
>
> On Wed, 06 Aug 2008 19:24:56 -0000, "Iain" <iain@...> wrote:
>
> >No difference here, it still fails to install in exactly the same way.
>
> OK. Then, at lease, we know it's a problem with Visual Basic's install
> procedure.
>
> It's going to be difficult to troubleshoot, though, since I am not
> able to reproduce the problem.
>
> As a first, easy test, try closing all your applications and then
> clearing out the TEMP folder, before trying the install again.
>
> Any VB6 experts on the list?
> --
> Helge
>

Hi Helge,
just to let you know ,the dxsnoop is exactly the same problem on an
old 300mhz windows 98 laptop.

Regards.

564. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: A question about the interface cable loopback test ?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-11 18:08:29 UTC
From: Helge
Topic: 555 Message: 564

On Sun, 10 Aug 2008 04:42:46 -0000, "tld1717" <tld1717@...>
wrote:
>How if its not too much
>trouble do you check for applications that sync with external
>devices?

Finding out which process is locking the serial port is not a trivial task. I have this method that seems to work, but I have not done any extensive testing, and I do not understand what is going on, so I might be missing the boat completely. The method should be quite safe, since it only uses Microsoft's own tools. It goes like this:

1. Download HANDLE.EXE from Microsoft:
http://technet.microsoft.com/en-us/sysinternals/bb896655.aspx

2. Unpack the downloaded file to a temporary directory. I use c:\test.

3. Start a command prompt: Press Win-R, and enter CMD, and press Enter.

4. Change to the temporary directory: Enter CD \TEST and press Enter.

5. Run HANDLE.EXE -a>handles.txt.

6. Open the file handles.txt in Notepad or your favorite text editor.

7. Search for the string "serial". If you can't find it, this method did not work for you. Sorry.

8. Scroll back upward until you find a long dashed line.

9. Just under that line is the name of the process that is using the serial resource.

10. Now that you know which one it is, decide what to do with it: Kill it, uninstall it, or do whatever you deem appropriate.
--
Helge

565. New file uploaded to alinco-dj-x3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-12 16:53:30 UTC
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 11 Message: 565

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the alinco-dj-x3
group.

File : /Software/findserial.zip
Uploaded by : helgeww <helgex3@...>
Description : Find which process is holding your serial port

You can access this file at the URL:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/files/Software/findserial.zip

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
http://help.yahoo.com/l/us/yahoo/groups/original/members/web/index.htmlfiles

Regards,

helgeww <helgex3@...>

566. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: A question about the interface cable loopback test ?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-12 16:56:53 UTC
From: Helge
Topic: 555 Message: 566

On Mon, 11 Aug 2008 20:08:29 +0200, I wrote:

>Finding out which process is locking the serial port is not a trivial
>task.

I have now created a small script that automates the process I
described. In addition, it examines the registry to find the actual
names of the COM ports. That means it will work even if their names
don't contain the word "serial".

The script is tested only on Windows XP with SP3.
--
Helge

567. DJ-X3 Memory Manager v1.4

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-08-14 07:40:51 UTC
From: Iain
Topic: 567 Message: 567

I've uploaded a new version of DJ-X3MMU into the files section, v1.4.

You'll notice that finally, the dreaded serialised object data file has
been replaced with a 'human-readable' XML data file!

You may also see a small improvement in upload/download times.

Does anyone want to write an ALINCO .AX3 to XML file converter?

Cheers,
Iain - M0VPE

568. Re: DJ-X3 Memory Manager v1.4

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-09-05 17:53:23 UTC
From: i_cole
Topic: 567 Message: 568

I've been using 1.3 successfully for a long time, but 1.4 fails to run.
Is anybody els having problams??

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Iain" <iain@...> wrote:
>
>
> I've uploaded a new version of DJ-X3MMU into the files section, v1.4.
>
> You'll notice that finally, the dreaded serialised object data file
has
> been replaced with a 'human-readable' XML data file!
>
> You may also see a small improvement in upload/download times.
>
> Does anyone want to write an ALINCO .AX3 to XML file converter?
>
> Cheers,
> Iain - M0VPE
>

569. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3 Memory Manager v1.4

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-09-06 14:08:40 UTC
From: Tony Fendall
Topic: 567 Message: 569

Yep, me too. I think Iain said to register the Java version when I had this problem earlier, but I can't remember the procedure.
Can you help Iain?
Regards
Tony

From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of i_cole
Sent: 05 September 2008 18:53
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3 Memory Manager v1.4

I've been using 1.3 successfully for a long time, but 1.4 fails to run.
Is anybody els having problams??

--- In alinco-dj-x3@ <mailto:alinco-dj-x3%40yahoogroups.com> yahoogroups.com, "Iain" <iain@...> wrote:
>
>
> I've uploaded a new version of DJ-X3MMU into the files section, v1.4.
>
> You'll notice that finally, the dreaded serialised object data file has
> been replaced with a 'human-readable' XML data file!
>
> You may also see a small improvement in upload/download times.
>
> Does anyone want to write an ALINCO .AX3 to XML file converter?
>
> Cheers,
> Iain - M0VPE
>

570. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3 Memory Manager v1.4

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-09-07 17:02:27 UTC
From: Iain Stirzaker (M0VPE)
Topic: 567 Message: 570

There is a bug in the v1.4 auto-installer, I think a deployment file is missing. I will take a look over the next few days.

Iain - MØVPE

From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of Tony Fendall
Sent: 06 September 2008 15:09
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3 Memory Manager v1.4

Yep, me too. I think Iain said to register the Java version when I had this problem earlier, but I can□t remember the procedure.

Can you help Iain?

Regards

Tony

From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of i_cole
Sent: 05 September 2008 18:53
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3 Memory Manager v1.4

I've been using 1.3 successfully for a long time, but 1.4 fails to run.
Is anybody els having problams??

--- In alinco-dj-x3@ <mailto:alinco-dj-x3%40yahoogroups.com> yahoogroups.com, "Iain" <iain@...> wrote:
>
>
> I've uploaded a new version of DJ-X3MMU into the files section, v1.4.
>
> You'll notice that finally, the dreaded serialised object data file has
> been replaced with a 'human-readable' XML data file!
>
> You may also see a small improvement in upload/download times.
>
> Does anyone want to write an ALINCO .AX3 to XML file converter?
>
> Cheers,

> Iain - M0VPE
>

571. New file uploaded to alinco-dj-x3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-09-13 08:46:10 UTC
From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Topic: 11 Message: 571

Hello,

This email message is a notification to let you know that
a file has been uploaded to the Files area of the alinco-dj-x3
group.

File : /Software/DJ-X3MMU_installer.exe
Uploaded by : m0vpe <iain@...>
Description : DJ-X3 Memory Manager v1.4 (uses XML data files)

You can access this file at the URL:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/files/Software/DJ-X3MMU_installer.exe

To learn more about file sharing for your group, please visit:
http://help.yahoo.com/l/us/yahoo/groups/original/members/web/index.htmlfiles

Regards,

m0vpe <iain@...>

572. DJ-X3MMU auto-installer

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-09-13 08:52:00 UTC
From: Iain
Topic: 572 Message: 572

Take two - I've uploaded another DJ-X3MMU v1.4 auro-installer, this time with all the required distribution files ;-)

Cheers,
Iain - M0VPE

573. Alinco DJ-X3 T/E Software and Interface

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-09-13 13:17:30 UTC
From: ja.borderreiver
Topic: 573 Message: 573

Hello folks, just bought an Alico DJ-X3 and finding it an animal to get going. I notice that a number of people are talking about software and an interface between a PC and the DJ-X3 for setting up the DJ-X3 however a bit confusing. Anybody tell me please whats needed for setting up the DJ-X3 from the computer?
Many thanks,
Rusty.

574. Re: Alinco DJ-X3 T/E Software and Interface

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-09-14 17:10:16 UTC
From: rdbrudy
Topic: 573 Message: 574

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "ja.borderreiver"
<ja.borderreiver@...> wrote:
>
> Hello folks, just bought an Alico DJ-X3 and finding it an animal to
> get going. I notice that a number of people are talking about
software
> and an interface between a PC and the DJ-X3 for setting up the DJ-X3
> however a bit confusing. Anybody tell me please whats needed for
> setting up the DJ-X3 from the computer?
> Many thanks,
> Rusty.
>
alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com contac this place

575. Ok,what luck with vista?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-11-01 11:06:38 UTC
From: P@
Topic: 575 Message: 575

What is the chance of getting the interface up and running
under vista,And I suppose I'll have too make new usb interface
cable too [Ive been useing the com port till this new pc but now I
only have usb] but that must already be here somewhere,time to sort out
the iron again.
Thanks
P@

576. My Alinco had white light :)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-11-04 04:51:46 UTC
From: michal_b3vdgctx9c
Topic: 576 Message: 576

Check this out :

http://img440.imageshack.us/img440/6333/alincoxe5.jpg

http://img223.imageshack.us/img223/342/alinco2sy8.jpg

I changed light to white - two very very small leds SMD under The Display. It's not easy to make this but it works :) Sorry for the not good photo quality.

577. Re: My Alinco had white light :)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-11-05 20:40:11 UTC
From: neil.donald
Topic: 576 Message: 577

That Looks awesome and a lot clearer than the green

nice one

hard to do?

578. Re: My Alinco had white light :)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-11-05 21:14:52 UTC
From: michal_b3vdgctx9c
Topic: 576 Message: 578

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "neil.donald" <neil.donald@...>
wrote:
>
> That Looks awesome and a lot clearer than the green
>
> nice one
>
> hard to do?
>

I can say - not so easy :) Need very good soldering iron, skill,
patience and 2 leds SMD ;)

Alinco is fragile inside. Look at this
http://michalb3vdgctx9c.fotosik.pl/ - Alinco inside

579. What's going on?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-11-06 01:56:20 UTC
From: John Grimley
Topic: 579 Message: 579

I joined a user group about the Yaesu V3 tranceiver.
Now I'm getting stuff about "Alinco" and something called "dj".
What's going on?

And what has happened to all the useful info that used to be part of this
group which seems now to have descended into something less than that?

Am I alone in these perceptions?

----- Original Message -----
From: "neil.donald" <neil.donald@...>
To: <alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com>
Sent: Wednesday, November 05, 2008 3:40 PM
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: My Alinco had white light :)

> That Looks awesome and a lot clearer than the green
>
> nice one
>
> hard to do?
>
>
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>
> Yahoo! Groups Links
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>
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580. bad receiving

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-11-19 22:26:13 UTC
From: guldokat
Topic: 580 Message: 580

Hello,
im a newbie at scanner scene...i have bought a alinco djx3 but i have a very bad receive quality...i receive only some radio station, but all other nothing...if any have a idea what i make wrong or what is the reason of that?

thank you

Holger

581. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] bad receiving

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-11-19 23:35:25 UTC
From: Linton
Topic: 580 Message: 581

Is you attenuator set to low or your squelch too high?

Linton.

From: guldokat
Sent: Wednesday, November 19, 2008 2:26 PM
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] bad receiving

Hello,
im a newbie at scanner scene...i have bought a alinco djx3 but i have a very bad receive quality...i receive only some radio station, but all other nothing...if any have a idea what i make wrong or what is the reason of that?

thank you

Holger

583. Re: New DJ-X3 user from France comm error

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-11-29 08:42:26 UTC
From: Markus Bärtschi
Topic: 582 Message: 583

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "dan13028" <dan13028@...> wrote:
> Hello
> I'm new in DJ-X3, each time I try to connect My DJ to my PC I have a
CommError .
> I respect what is indicate in "HOW TO GET DJX3-MMU & ALINCO UTILITY
PROGRAM WORKING.rtf"
> Could you help me ?
> (Sorry for my poor English)
> Dan

Dan,

depending on your setup it can take work to get it running.

Can you describe your setup ?
- What cable are you using ?
- What computer are you using ?
- Native serial port or USB conversion cable ?
- Did you try alternative software ?
(For example the icom-cabletest)

Markus

Your English is fine so far, at least I can understand.

585. Re: New DJ-X3 user from France comm error

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-11-29 13:53:44 UTC
From: Markus Bärtschi
Topic: 582 Message: 585

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--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "dan13028" <dan13028@...> wrote:
> Hello Markus
> - Cable bought on ebay from radio-arena desribe as "Alinco ERW-4C
> RS-232 Programming Cable"
> - Windows 2000 Pro (I test aslo on an old PC with Win98 SE)with no
> more result
> - Serial port cable with DB9
> - I only try with DJ-X3 1.3.5 clone from Alinco and dj-x3-MMU, I don't
> know icom-cabletest.
> Thanks for your help
> Dan
>

Dan, have a look at the files section of the yahoo group:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/files/
You'll find software and cable descriptions there.

What is the 'serial port cable with db9' ?
Usually you connect the programming cable directly to the serial port
of the PC. The PC should have a male DB-9 and the cable a Female DB-9.
An additional cable in there could be the origin of your problem.

Markus
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588. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: New DJ-X3 user from France comm error

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-11-30 11:05:14 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 582 Message: 588

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> --- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "dan13028" <dan13028@...> wrote:
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> always this coms error and the display of the DJ-X3 indicate OK when I
> try to connect. The result is the same with Alinco clone utility 1.3.5
> or DJ Memory Manager 1.4
> Dan

Dan,

If the cable-test works this indicates that the cable is working. In my case
the cable test is working when not connected to the radio and not working
when connected to the radio. This is normal.
As I haven't used the DJ since a while I've reinstalled the Alinco Utility and
added the update exe file (now at version 1.3.5). It does work quite well,
but sometimes I have to start a download twice (error the first time).

I have not be able to get the MMU program working.

Markus

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589. Confused about MMU

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-11-30 11:26:08 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 589 Message: 589

I've taken my DJ PC cable out of the closet and reinstalled the
software utilities to be up to date. The Clone Utility works fine.

But I'm confused about the MMU. It starts fine, it looks like I can
read/save/edit frequencies nicely, but how do I get the contents
of the radio into the utility ?
A right-click somewhere in the program reveals 'download to Radio',
but there is no 'Upload from Radio'. The 'Radio' menu has entries
for 'Reset' and 'Partial Reset', but no upload or download.

I've got version 1.3.04, freshly downloaded from the Yahoo group.

Markus

P.S. Iain: It looks like your site m0vpe.co.uk is down at the moment.
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591. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: New DJ-X3 user from France comm error

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-11-30 12:07:03 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 582 Message: 591

On Sun, Nov 30, 2008 at 12:29 PM, dan13028 <dan13028@yahoo.fr> wrote:
> J'ai une question sur le mode opératoire, faut-il connecter le DJ
> ordinateur arrêté ou ordinateur en service ?
> Dan

Ça a peux d'importance, la connexion est reinitialisé à chaque transfert.
Le port série est relativement simple, pas d'usine a gaz comme USB :-).

Je te propose les actions suivantes. Prends des notes a chaque pas.
Tu peux très bien laisser tout actif sur ton PC et noter directement dans
ton email, ce se dérange pas.
- Démarrer le PC
- Débrancher le câble (pas besoin de redémarrer le PC s'il tourne déjà)
- Executer le icom-cabletest -> doit être 'Test failed on all ports tested.'
- Brancher la câble, seulement sur le PC, pas sur le Alinco
- Exécuter le icom-cabletest -> doit être 'OK' -> doit indiquer le port COM
-> Noter le port COM
- Connecter l'Alinco, Alinco en Power-Off
- Exécuter le icom-cabletest -> peut être OK, mais peut être failed !
- Démarrer l'Alinco an mode Clone (Bank+PowerOn)
- Exécuter le icom-cabletest -> peut être OK, mais peut être failed !
- Regarder l'Affichage de l'Alinco -> doit etre 'comErr'
- Executer le icom-cabletest -> peut être OK, mais peut être failed !
- Redémarrer l'Alinco en mode clone (Bank+PowerOn)
- Sortir du icom-cabletest
- Démarrer le Alinco DJ-X3 Clone Utility (version 1.3.5)
- Vérifier dans 'receiver' - 'Com port setup' que le COM port est le
même que tu as noté avant
- Exécuter 'Receiver' - Receive - Current page (Ctrl-R)
(Chez moi j'ai a chaque fois 'Communications Error' et 'Can not
find DJ-X3' mais en
cliquant sur OK dans le dialog 'Read current page' ca marche quand même.

C'est long et fastidieux, mais il faut être systématique !

Markus
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593. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: New DJ-X3 user from France comm error

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-11-30 12:45:01 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 582 Message: 593

On Sun, Nov 30, 2008 at 1:39 PM, dan13028 <dan13028@yahoo.fr> wrote:
> Désolé j'ai appliqué scrupuleusement la procédure mais quand à la
> fin je cique sur OK dans "Read curret page" j'ai le premier message '
> a communication error occered: 1.' suivi lorrsque je clique sur 'OK '
> par 'cannot find DJ-X3'
> Mon port com est configuré Bits par seconde : 9600
> Bits de données : 8
> Parité : aucune
> Bits d'arrêt : 1
> Contrôle de fux : aucun
> Dan

Oui, Moi j'ai la même chose. Mais ensuite, si je clique sur OK (pas Cancel)
Le transfert se fait !

Markus

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595. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: New DJ-X3 user from France comm error

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-11-30 13:32:20 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 582 Message: 595

On Sun, Nov 30, 2008 at 1:59 PM, dan13028 <dan13028@yahoo.fr> wrote:
>Désolé, ça ne fonctionne toujours pas, dès le message d'erreur
> l'Alinco affiche ok. Est-ce le cas sur le tien avant que le transfert
> ne soit réalisé ?
> Merci encore pour ta patience

Je viens de faire le suivant:
- Brancher l'Alinco
- Démarrer l'Alinco en mode clone -> Affiche 'cLonE'
- Démarrer le clone utility
- Click sur le livre (Read Current Page)
-> Clone-Utility Message 'A communication error occurred: 1.'
-> Alinco affiche 'ok'
- Click sur OK du message
-> Clone-Utility Message 'Cannot find DJ-X3.'
-> Alinco affiche 'ok'
- Click sur OK du message
-> De retour sur le dialog 'Read Current Page' avec 'Progress' et
'OK' et 'Cancel'
- Click sur OK du dialog
-> Le progress avance et la page est lu depuis l'Alinco
-> Alinco affiche 'PASS'
Il faut cliquer sur 'OK' du dialog relativement rapidement. Si tu
attends même 10 secondes
tu repasses par les deux messages d'erreur. En tout cas chez moi.

Markus
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597. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: New DJ-X3 user from France comm error

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-11-30 14:12:14 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 582 Message: 597

On Sun, Nov 30, 2008 at 3:04 PM, dan13028 <dan13028@yahoo.fr> wrote:
> Je commence à douter de mon hard (DJ ou cable) car même en cliquant
> très rapidement sur OK, je reviens invariablement sur les 2 messages
> d'erreur.
> Dan

Est-ce que tes piles sont fraiches ?
Pas de rechargables, mais des Alkalines.

Markus
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599. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: New DJ-X3 user from France comm error

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2008-12-01 06:05:45 UTC
From: Linton
Topic: 582 Message: 599

If you are using a usb to serial converter, this is the reason you are seeing this error. There are very few that work, use a true serial port and you will have no issues.

Linton

From: Markus Baertschi
Sent: Sunday, November 30, 2008 4:05 AM
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: New DJ-X3 user from France comm error

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601. files?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-04-07 11:03:18 UTC
From: neil.donald
Topic: 601 Message: 601

when i click on the files they just say "The requested document is not accessible."

any ideas

602. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] files?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-04-07 11:20:04 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 601 Message: 602

On Tue, Apr 7, 2009 at 1:03 PM, neil.donald
<neil.donald@...> wrote:
> when i click on the files they just say "The requested document is not accessible."
>
> any ideas

this looks like a Yahoo problem to me. I've sent message to Yahoo support.
Just try it again in a couple of hours.

Markus
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603. Re: files?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-04-08 14:47:30 UTC
From: Markus Bärtschi
Topic: 601 Message: 603

> <neil.donald@...> wrote:
> > when i click on the files they just say "The requested document is not accessible."
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> this looks like a Yahoo problem to me. I've sent message to Yahoo support.
> Just try it again in a couple of hours.

The files seem to work again now.
I have not heard back from Yahoo support, though.

Markus

604. DJ-X3, RS-232, Modern Laptop - Does Not Compute!

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-04-20 20:01:39 UTC
From: sactb68
Topic: 604 Message: 604

Hi, I am a newbie to this group
and am looking for the philosopher's
stone of DJ-X3 automation!

I have a desktop PC running XP SP2
and this machine has steadfastly
refused to run the Alinco clone
utility... ever.... even in
compatability mode(s)!

I also have a laptop running Vista
which happily runs the Clone utility
but does not possess a real serial port.

OK, the DJ-X3 has not kept up with PC
evolution and the date of the Clone
programme (2001) at nearly a decade ago,
gives some indication of where we have got to!

I have a USB to serial converter using the
Prolific chipset and this refuses to work
with the DJ-X3. I have used the loopback
tester programme from the group files
section and it reports a comms failure via
the converter. The converter works admirably
with my Garmin GPS, but this is a much later
piece of computer hardware and understands
the current technology.

I have been looking around the internet and
there appear to be a number of PCMCIA cards,
Express Cards etc., that purport to provide a
serial interface to your laptop PC. Some use
the Prolific chipset (so they probably won't
work) and some boast a proper FIFO 16650 UART
chipset. In between the two there are various
other offerings.

Has anyone actually used ANY one of these cards
with the Alinco ERW-4C cable and a DJ-X3 AND
got the communication thing working from a
modern laptop?

Your views/opinions would be most welcome.

Really useful Yahoo Group - great information.

Many thanks

Roger

605. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] DJ-X3, RS-232, Modern Laptop - Does Not Compute!

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-04-21 16:25:19 UTC
From: Helge
Topic: 604 Message: 605

On Mon, 20 Apr 2009 20:01:39 -0000, "sactb68" <sactb68@...>
wrote:

>Hi, I am a newbie to this group
>and am looking for the philosopher's
>stone of DJ-X3 automation!

You won't be able to get any automation in the sense of controlling
the radio from the PC. You must set the radio to "clone" mode in order
to manipulate its memories. In this clone mode, the radio cannot
receive anything at all.

>I have a desktop PC running XP SP2
>and this machine has steadfastly
>refused to run the Alinco clone
>utility... ever.... even in
>compatability mode(s)!

Several people have reported problems with XP. Personally, I have
tried the program on at least four different XP machines, and have
perfect success with all of them.

>OK, the DJ-X3 has not kept up with PC
>evolution and the date of the Clone
>programme (2001) at nearly a decade ago,
>gives some indication of where we have got to!

It is quite apparent that Alinco have moved on to newer models.
Putting resources into maintaining old hardware is not cost effective.

>I have a USB to serial converter using the
>Prolific chipset and this refuses to work
>with the DJ-X3. I have used the loopback
>tester programme from the group files
>section and it reports a comms failure via
>the converter. The converter works admirably
>with my Garmin GPS, but this is a much later
>piece of computer hardware and understands
>the current technology.

Have you been able to get your cable to work at all? Since not even
the loopback program detects it, it might be defective?
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Helge

606. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] DJ-X3, RS-232, Modern Laptop - Does Not Compute!

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-04-21 17:03:37 UTC
From: mike@cbtinc.net
Topic: 604 Message: 606

Although the program was written in 2001 it used coding methods which are supported on Windows 95 through Vista.

USB to serial driver support can be quite problematic and very finicky on a per device basis. I happen to use an ICOM OPC-478 cable with an MFJ USB to serial adapter and it works fine on XP and Vista.

Mike

Original Message:

>OK, the DJ-X3 has not kept up with PC
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>programme (2001) at nearly a decade ago,
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607. Re: DJ-X3, RS-232, Modern Laptop - Does Not Compute!

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-04-22 15:50:33 UTC
From: sactb68
Topic: 604 Message: 607

Hi Guys

First of all, thanks for the speedy responses, and the
useful information they contain.

I used the word automation which perhaps confused the
issue a little. I am aware of the 'Clone' mode and that
the PC does not control the DJ-X3, simply rewrites its
memory. However, with preset list, A/B, J and 700
specific memory slots, that's a lot of programming, so
There's where the 'automation' comes in - making it quicker
to programme and my life easier.

Additionally, the preset TV channels factory programmed into
my DJ-X3E bear no relation to the PAL system used in the UK
where the WFM sound is offset from the video by +5.996MHz
(most other world systems are either 4.5, 5.5 or 6.5MHz offsets).
FM will not tune to 108.0MHz and resets at 107.9MHz. I would also
like to cover the AM Long Wave, as well as the MW coverage
already programmed in, and possibly add airband to the preset
list. There is, sadly, no other way of programming the preset
list other than by a clone cable and PC... oh well!

I have a number of frequencies I do regularly scan, many of
them on shortwave, as the DJ-X3 provides a very quick way of
determining which frequencies are transmitting to save time
when using my shortwave rig, and it's always much easier to
use a proper PC keyboard for all the (twice yearly)
frequency changes!

I am aware of the later Windows software being able to run software
designed for earlier versions of Windows, and this backward
compatability has always been somewhat of a problem with Microsoft. However, my XP machine
has some serious architecture problems
independent of the operating system - it is an eMachines 740 and
to give some idea, it would not even run its own joystick/MIDI port
properly, necessitating purchase of a Soundblaster soundcard!

In response to the cable possibly being faulty, I checked this on
the loopback tester using my XP machine and it passed with flying colours. The problem lies
in the USB to Serial conversion cable/chipset I have to use with my serial-portless laptop!

Does anyone know what the specification of the clone port on the Alinco DJ-X3 actually is?
What do each of the 3 connections do -
someone has already mentioned that the Tx/Rx are tied together and
so the loopback tester can check this. One of the other connections
is presumably Ground and the third flow control? What are the design voltages - true RS-232

TTL, or CMOS? What is the baud rate of the port and how is the data flow controlled - i.e. hardware CTS/RTS on the third contact or X-On/X-Off as a software control? I have scoured the internet for any technical data relating to this and there is none that I can find.

Finally, my original question is whether or not a PCMCIA or Express serial card for my laptop will provide a TRUE RS-232 serial port that will be fully compatible with the Clone programme and the DJ-X3 and, if so, has anyone used one with success?

Your help is most welcome.

Many thanks

Roger

608. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3, RS-232, Modern Laptop - Does Not Compute!

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-04-22 18:31:38 UTC
From: Helge
Topic: 604 Message: 608

On Wed, 22 Apr 2009 15:50:33 -0000, "sactb68" <sactb68@...>
wrote:

>In response to the cable possibly being faulty, I checked this on
>the loopback tester using my XP machine and it passed with flying colours. The problem
lies in the USB to Serial conversion cable/chipset I have to use with my serial-portless
laptop!

It is still possible, at least theoretically, that your cable is
broken. The loopback test is not a bullet proof test. If you could
borrow a PC with a COM port and where the tool will run, you could
eliminate one possible problem source.

>Does anyone know what the specification of the clone port on the Alinco DJ-X3 actually is?
What do each of the 3 connections do -
>someone has already mentioned that the Tx/Rx are tied together and
>so the loopback tester can check this. One of the other connections
>is presumably Ground and the third flow control?

The connector has three pins so the radio can output stereo audio. In
clone mode, only two of the pins are used. The tip is unused, the ring
(middle) is data and the sleeve is ground.

>What are the design voltages - true RS-232 TTL, or CMOS?

I seem to remember measuring 3.3V from the internal pull-up resistor.
I do not know the exact specs, though. The service manual is available
in the files section. Maybe that contains detailed specs.

>What is the baud rate of the port

9600 bps

>and how is the data flow controlled - i.e. hardware CTS/RTS on the third contact or
X-On/X-Off as a software control?

The official application initializes the serial port to XON/XOFF, but
on a single-wire connection, that does not work well, so both ends
should make sure they can accept the data quickly enough.

>I have scoured the internet for any technical data relating to this and there is none that
I can find.

Take a look in the files section for a little tool called
"x3snoop.zip". It contains some files which describe what I have been
able to figure out, both on the protocol and the memory map. The files
are available as both Windows Help (CHM) and as HTML. Some users have
reported not being able to install the application, but you can still

extract the documents from the CAB file.

>Finally, my original question is whether or not a PCMCIA or Express
>serial card for my laptop will provide a TRUE RS-232 serial port
>that will be fully compatible with the Clone programme and the
>DJ-X3 and, if so, has anyone used one with success?

I have never tried with anything other than an on-board or PCI serial port, but I can't imagine why it doesn't work. The application does no special bit-banging or direct hardware register access, just plain transmit and receive through the Windows API.

I have a USB to TTL serial adapter here. I'm going to do some tests to see if it would be complicated to make a USB to DJ-X3 cable. Does anyone know of a cable design based on a MAX232 family chip? That might provide useful information for the USB design.
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Helge

609. Long delay approving new members

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-06-22 12:04:33 UTC
From: Markus Bärtschi
Topic: 609 Message: 609

I just returned form a two week vacation with no access to my email and want to apologize to the couple of people who had to wait a while to get onto the list.

At the same time I'd like to ask if there are some members of the list ready to provide some moderator duty. This essentially entails to verify new member applications and approve them. This happens about once or twice a week.

Markus

610. lcd screen

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-06-28 23:07:40 UTC
From: a.francis2009
Topic: 610 Message: 610

dose anyone know off where i can get a replacement lcd screen
for my dj-x3 from ?

thank's

611. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] lcd screen

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-06-29 00:00:45 UTC
From: Denis Jackson
Topic: 610 Message: 611

Look on page 23 of this service manual. It is part # EL0053. You may be able
to order it from Alinco. I hope this helps.
www.radioamateur.eu/schemi/RX/*ALINCO*_DJ-X3_serv.pdf
Robert Jackson KD4RFZ

On Sun, Jun 28, 2009 at 7:07 PM, a.francis2009 <a.francis50@...>wrote:

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> dose anyone know off where i can get a replacement lcd screen
> for my dj-x3 from ?
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> thank's
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612. Re: lcd screen

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-06-29 00:21:46 UTC
From: a.francis2009
Topic: 610 Message: 612

thank you for that i will send them a e.mail
to see if thay have one and the cost.

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Denis Jackson <denisjackson@...> wrote:
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> Look on page 23 of this service manual. It is part # EL0053. You may be able
> to order it from Alinco. I hope this helps.
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613. X3: "Bank" key does not work in "Preset" mode?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-03 17:39:03 UTC
From: moskitek
Topic: 613 Message: 613

Hi guys,

X3 manual says that in "Preset" mode you can use "Bank" key to switch between AM/FM/TV ranges. However in my X3 it just does not work.

"Bank" key works correctly in other situations.
Range also changes correctly when going outside given range.

It is not a big thing of course (maybe a manual error), but I wondered if yours have the same behaviour?

614. X3 serial communication issues: programmers' fault?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-03 18:00:24 UTC
From: moskitek
Topic: 614 Message: 614

Fine Folks,

I have an X3 with special serial cable to connect it to a PC (WinXP).
Of course, as it is a modern PC, it does not have a proper serial port, just one that is on a USB dongle.

The dongle worked correctly as a serial port in various applications, with various devices.

X3 cable connected to this dongle also works correctly: when I enter clone mode on receiver, I can launch a terminal on PC, issue AL~F.... commands, receive correct results.

However all (both) software applications, that are supposed to help with programming, are broken and do not see X3 via serial.
Alinco application (original 1.3.2 from 2001, 1.3.5 from 2005) launches, but hangs right after attempting to read data. Serial port monitor shows that application sends "AL" command, receives "OK" response and hangs at that moment.

Here at the forum I found "MMU 1.4" application. It launches correctly (after checking Java version etc), but then gives up with "Comms Error".

The only application that actually communicates is official Alinco X7 software. Of course it does not work because capabilities and memory layout are different, but at least it is able to read data from X3 (as serial monitor confirms).

This is something I do not get. Serial communication obviously works correctly, as terminal shows. Applications do not work. Apparently they include extra (compared to terminal) logic and see "error" when in fact communication seems to work properly.

From a brief review of the past messages here it seems that "MMU" author (Iain) was active here at this group. His website (m0vpe) is unfortunately down, I also got an email bounce. I guess that he would be the best shot for actually implementing correct serial communication and solving the main issue that so many people here get :-) His application already has a working GUI, it parses X3 output correctly (I suppose), it's just serial comms part that needs work.

615. Programming the DJX3. Having problems.

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-04 15:17:24 UTC
From: Anthony
Topic: 615 Message: 615

Hi Folks. I'm a real novice to the DJX3 and wish to program the darned thing using the alinco software.

So far, I bought the lead, and a usb to serial converter. I downloaded the software and installed it. Connected the receiver to the laptop via the cables, powered up the receiver in clone mode, but all I get showing on the receiver is 'comms error', and can't 'find DJX3' in the program screen. I'm really frustrated, I've tried changing the serial port settings on the PC, but still nowt. Please help as I think the receiver has a lot of potential if only it would talk to my PC.

Any advice gladly received.

Regards, Anthony.

616. Re: Programming the DJX3. Having problems.

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-04 21:01:49 UTC
From: moskitek
Topic: 615 Message: 616

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Anthony" <a.massey91@...> wrote:
> I'm really frustrated

Welcome to the club....

Many people have problems achieving correct communication between PC and Alinco, including myself. I still have not managed any X3 software (official or "MMU" available here on forums) to work correctly, I have the same problem as you do.
Not much of a help, but I hope you have vented some frustration by sharing it ;-)

Cheers,
/M

617. Re: X3: "Bank" key does not work in "Preset" mode?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-04 23:09:17 UTC
From: DenisJ
Topic: 613 Message: 617

I have had 2 DJ-X3's and on both of them you can switch between the modes you stated. Are you sure you are in the preset mode? I cannot help but think it is something simple. Hope you get it to work.
Denis

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "moskitek" <moskit@...> wrote:
>
> Hi guys,
>
> X3 manual says that in "Preset" mode you can use "Bank" key to switch between AM/FM/TV ranges. However in my X3 it just does not work.
>
> "Bank" key works correctly in other situations.
> Range also changes correctly when going outside given range.
>
> It is not a big thing of course (maybe a manual error), but I wondered if yours have the same behaviour?
>

618. Re: X3 serial communication issues: programmers' fault?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-04 23:22:12 UTC
From: DenisJ
Topic: 614 Message: 618

I was able to get the Alinco program to run on Windows Vista and XP BUT could not upload to radio using a USB/Serial adapter. I have several radios that I program with my computer and the adapter works fine. I have a friend who has a computer (XP) with a serial port and I put the Alinco program on his computer and was able to upload to the radio. The Alinco program just won't work with an adapter. Also I use Iain's MMU program and it works on my Vista system computer with the USB/Serial adapter. I do my memory management with his program. The only thig I wanted to do with the Alinco program was change the presets (there are no more TV analog stations here in the US) which I was able to do on my friends computer. Iain's program does not have this capability. Hope this info is helpful.
Denis KD4RFZ

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "moskitek" <moskit@...> wrote:
>
> Fine Folks,
>
> I have an X3 with special serial cable to connect it to a PC (WinXP).
> Of course, as it is a modern PC, it does not have a proper serial port, just one that is on a USB dongle.
>
> The dongle worked correctly as a serial port in various applications, with various devices.
>
> X3 cable connected to this dongle also works correctly: when I enter clone mode on receiver, I can launch a terminal on PC, issue AL~F.... commands, receive correct results.
>
> However all (both) software applications, that are supposed to help with programming, are broken and do not see X3 via serial.
> Alinco application (original 1.3.2 from 2001, 1.3.5 from 2005) launches, but hangs right after attempting to read data. Serial port monitor shows that application sends "AL" command, receives "OK" response and hangs at that moment.
>
> Here at the forum I found "MMU 1.4" application. It launches correctly (after checking Java version etc), but then gives up with "Comms Error".
>
> The only application that actually communicates is official Alinco X7 software. Of course it does not work because capabilities and memory layout are different, but at least it is able to read data from X3 (as serial monitor confirms).
>
> This is something I do not get. Serial communication obviously works correctly, as terminal shows. Applications do not work. Apparently they include extra (compared to terminal) logic and see "error" when in fact communication seems to work properly.
>
> From a brief review of the past messages here it seems that "MMU" author (Iain) was active here at this group. His website (m0vpe) is unfortunately down, I also got an email bounce.

> I guess that he would be the best shot for actually implementing correct serial communication and solving the main issue that so many people here get :-) His application already has a working GUI, it parses X3 output correctly (I suppose), it's just serial comms part that needs work.
>

619. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Programming the DJX3. Having problems.

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-05 01:47:13 UTC
From: Anthony Massey
Topic: 615 Message: 619

Thanks for the reply. Sounds a bit final though. Have Alinco not addressed the problem, and is there no up-to-date software available from them?
Hope I haven't wasted my money!

Regards, Anthony.

--- On Sun, 4/10/09, moskitek <moskit@...> wrote:

From: moskitek <moskit@writeme.com>
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Programming the DJX3. Having problems.
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Date: Sunday, 4 October, 2009, 9:01 PM

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Many people have problems achieving correct communication between PC and Alinco, including myself. I still have not managed any X3 software (official or "MMU" available here on forums) to work correctly, I have the same problem as you do.
Not much of a help, but I hope you have vented some frustration by sharing it ;-)

Cheers,
/M

620. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Programming the DJX3. Having problems.

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-05 02:31:37 UTC
From: Linton
Topic: 615 Message: 620

Correct ---- the official software wont work with usb-serial adaptors.
Odd few out there, rumored to work but 1 in 1000.
Only works with a true serial port.
Lucky my new Compaq 6730b has one.

Thousands of emails have been sent to alinco about the problem over the years.
Alinco simply does not care, wont even answer any support emails
And if you out of the country refuse to support you at all.
A few lines of code would fix it I'm sure.
That's why Ill never buy from Alinco again.

Although the DJX3 works well, as the whole radio is basically 1 chip. (most likely not even made by Alinco)
The case and everything else from ALinco is made from the cheapest junk they could throw together.
Same with Alinco's software, they even go as far as to print workarounds for bugs rather than fixing them.

Linton

From: Anthony Massey
Sent: Sunday, October 04, 2009 6:47 PM
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Programming the DJX3. Having problems.

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Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Programming the DJX3. Having problems.
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Cheers,
/M

621. Re: X3: "Bank" key does not work in "Preset" mode?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-05 08:22:28 UTC
From: moskitek
Topic: 613 Message: 621

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "DenisJ" <denisjackson@...> wrote:
> I have had 2 DJ-X3's and on both of them you can switch between the
> modes you stated. Are you sure you are in the preset mode? I cannot
> help but think it is something simple. Hope you get it to work.

Thank you for confirming that it should work :-)

I'm in "Preset" mode as far as I can say - based on manual, what the receiver shows, and radio reception :-)

After checking what settings are available in Alinco software, there is one that looks suspicious. On "Preset memory" tab there is a "Preset bank link set" field, where by default three TV channels (0, 1, 2) are marked. I guess this makes the receiver to treat all three ranges as a single bank.

I am unable to get X3 connected to PC to verify that, but probably if my X3 somehow linked all banks here, it treats them as a single large bank = no switching with "bank" key.

This could be easily verified by person with a fully working (read/write) link cable and some time to experiment :-)

/Moskitek

622. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: X3: "Bank" key does not work in "Preset" mode?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-05 11:36:39 UTC
From: Denis Jackson
Topic: 613 Message: 622

Yes the TV banks are linked in the TV presets. That is because the TV freqs
were in different freq ranges. The 0 - 1 - 2 were banks and not channels.
Mine had 62 channels that it scanned thru.
Denis

On Mon, Oct 5, 2009 at 4:22 AM, moskitek <moskit@...> wrote:

>
>
> --- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com <alinco-dj-x3%40yahoogroups.com>,
> "DenisJ" <denisjackson@...> wrote:
> > I have had 2 DJ-X3's and on both of them you can switch between the
> > modes you stated. Are you sure you are in the preset mode? I cannot
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> link cable and some time to experiment :-)
>
> /Moskitek
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>

623. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Programming the DJX3. Having problems.

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-05 11:44:49 UTC
From: Denis Jackson
Topic: 615 Message: 623

No they haven't. The only software available is what you see in the files section of this group. I guess because they have moved on. The DJ-X3 is a year 2000 reciever and even though they still sell them I think they have stopped production. I have bought some of the accessories at a clearance price from Ham dealers. It is a great little receiver. I bought one when they first came out. Had it a couple of years and sold it. I just bought another one about 3 months ago just for "old times sake" before they all got gone because I liked it so well. Hope you enjoy yours. Denis On Sun, Oct 4, 2009 at 9:47 PM, Anthony Massey wrote: > > > Thanks for the reply. Sounds a bit final though. Have Alinco not > addressed the problem, and is there no up-to-date software available from > them? > Hope I haven't wasted my money! > > Regards, Anthony. > > --- On *Sun, 4/10/09, moskitek * wrote: > > > From: moskitek > Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Programming the DJX3. Having problems. > To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com > Date: Sunday, 4 October, 2009, 9:01 PM > > --- In alinco-dj-x3@ yahoogroups. com, > "Anthony" wrote: > > I'm really frustrated > > Welcome to the club.... > > Many people have problems achieving correct communication between PC and > Alinco, including myself. I still have not managed any X3 software (official > or "MMU" available here on forums) to work correctly, I have the same > problem as you do. > Not much of a help, but I hope you have vented some frustration by sharing > it ;-) > > Cheers, > /M > > > >

624. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] X3 serial communication issues: programmers' fault?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-05 12:39:03 UTC
From: Helge
Topic: 614 Message: 624

On Sat, 03 Oct 2009 18:00:24 -0000, "moskitek" <moskit@...>
wrote:

>X3 cable connected to this dongle also works correctly: when I enter clone mode on receiver, I can launch a terminal on PC, issue AL~F.... commands, receive correct results.
>
>However all (both) software applications, that are supposed to help with programming, are broken and do not see X3 via serial.
>Alinco application (original 1.3.2 from 2001, 1.3.5 from 2005) launches, but hangs right after attempting to read data. Serial port monitor shows that application sends "AL" command, receives "OK" response and hangs at that moment.
>
>Here at the forum I found "MMU 1.4" application. It launches correctly (after checking Java version etc), but then gives up with "Comms Error".

I have seen the same problem. I am not sure exactly where the problem is, but it looks like a problem with the driver for the USB to serial bridge. It seems the driver purges the receive queue immediately when the application closes the port, resulting in lost incoming data which was in the receive buffer. In my case, I worked around the problem by simply delaying a little before closing the serial port.

There are three major manufacturers of USB-to-serial chips: Prolific, FTDI and Silabs. Mine is a Silabs one, while the most common chip in low-cost converters is the Prolific. If anyone gets a USB converter to work, I'd be interested in knowing what chip type and driver version you have.
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Helge

625. Re: X3 serial communication issues: programmers' fault?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-05 15:06:44 UTC
From: moskitek
Topic: 614 Message: 625

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Helge <helgex3@...> wrote:
>
> I have seen the same problem. I am not sure exactly where the
>problem is, but it looks like a problem with the driver for
>the USB to serial bridge. It seems the driver purges the receive
>queue immediately when the application closes the port, resulting
>in lost incoming data which was in the receive buffer. In my case,
>I worked around the problem by simply delaying a little before
>closing the serial port.

You are probably right. I will see how MMU software exactly works - it is in Java, so it can be decompiled. The error it shows me is result of "if (read_bytes == 0)" conditional statement. That could point to a flushed buffer or driver problem, as correct data does appear on serial port monitor, it is just not seen by the application.

> There are three major manufacturers of USB-to-serial chips:
>Prolific, FTDI and Silabs.

Mine is based on Prolific. I will check if I can get any USB-to-serial dongle that I find to work correctly and post an update here.

/M

626. Solved (Re: X3: "Bank" key does not work in "Preset" mode?)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-05 15:11:13 UTC
From: moskitek
Topic: 613 Message: 626

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Denis Jackson <denisjackson@...> wrote:
> Yes the TV banks are linked in the TV presets. That is because the
>TV freqs were in different freq ranges. The 0 - 1 - 2 were banks and
>not channels.

True, banks not channels. I did not proofread the message before sending it...

>> This could be easily verified by person with a fully working
>> (read/write)link cable and some time to experiment :-)

I have checked it on a PC with a builtin serial port.
All 5 "Preset" banks were linked. Probably previous owner played with the receiver (I bought it second-hand) and a hard reset did not reset that setting.
After making sure that only TV banks are linked, "Bank" button now correctly switches between AM, FM and TV :-)

/M

627. Re: X3 serial communication issues: programmers' fault?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-05 16:40:34 UTC
From: istirzak
Topic: 614 Message: 627

Helge et al,

Good point re adding a delay before closing the serial port. By the way, what delay period did you use?

Cheers,
Iain ☐ M0VPE

628. Re: X3 serial communication issues: programmers' fault?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-05 18:28:00 UTC
From: moskitek
Topic: 614 Message: 628

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "istirzak" <istirzak@...> wrote:
> Good point re adding a delay before closing the serial port.
> Cheers,
> Iain ☐ M0VPE

Hi Iain,

Great to read you here :-)
I was afraid that you are no longer active with Alinco.

Hopefully as a group we can figure out remaining details for reliable X3 frequency programming :-)

BTW - I just realized that "programmers' fault" in discussion topic might be offensive. Apologies for that, my point was that while serial connection and some applications are ok, it might be an issue with Alinco/MMU applications.

If closing port flushes buffers (incorrectly), would it make sense to open/close port manually? For example with "attach X3" and "detach X3" buttons. That is probably easy to implement, would not make troubles if receiver is disconnected (not more than now anyway) and it could give us a first step for troubleshooting.
I am willing to run tests and provide as much information as I can. I don't have too much Java experience, but I'll do my best :-)

/M

629. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: X3 serial communication issues: programmers' fault?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-05 19:30:30 UTC
From: Helge
Topic: 614 Message: 629

On Mon, 05 Oct 2009 16:40:34 -0000, "istirzak" <istirzak@...>
wrote:

>Good point re adding a delay before closing the serial port. By the way, what delay period did you use?

I used 200ms. This number is purely empirical. Through
experimentation, I found that about 100ms worked reliably, and then I
doubled that to get some safety margin. It could be that this number
must be higher as computer speed increases, so it may not be
completely future proof.
--
Helge

630. DJ-X3 MMU - v1.4.01 uploaded

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-05 20:51:24 UTC
From: m0vpe
Topic: 630 Message: 630

I've uploaded a new DJ-X3 MMU version to the files area - v1.4.01.

It has an increased delay before the serial port is closed after reading data. I've effectively doubled the previous delay value.

I can't actually test any of this as I don't own a DJ-X3 so let me know how you get on.

Cheers,
Iain - M0VPE

631. Re: DJ-X3 MMU - v1.4.01 uploaded

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-05 22:22:51 UTC
From: moskitek
Topic: 630 Message: 631

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "m0vpe" <iain@...> wrote:
> I've uploaded a new DJ-X3 MMU version to the files area - v1.4.01.

Unfortunately it behaves the same :-(

After "Upload to PC" and "Start" it seems that a command is sent, X3 shows "OK", but MMU says:
"Comms Error: Check CLONE cable is fitted..."

As far as I understand logic of the program, it:
- create and opens connection object (SerialConnection)
- for each command:
-- writes it to a serial port
-- waits a bit (this is new in this version)
-- gets received data (provided something actually arrived) and process it
--- processing halts with error message as above because (rxDataSize == 0)

That means that application does not correctly receive data from serial port in case of USB dongle. This however works correctly with normal port. Timing issue? (USB dongle introduces variable processing delay) Driver issue? (not sending event notification to Java) :-/

As far as I can say MMU reads serial port as it should.

```
switch (e.getEventType())
{
case DATA_AVAILABLE:
while (br.ready())
{
this.inputBuffer.addElement(br.readLine());
}
}
```

Obviously this either does not get executed at all (Java does not receive notifications when USB dongle is used) or only gets some non-data events (might be verified with additional "case" catching all other even types and printing debug message), or timeouts (data is delivered much later than application expects it).

I would rather suspect driver/Java interaction when USB dongle is used. Terminal software or Perl do not have this issue, as they probably use some other driver interaction method. I will see if there is another method to read serial port in Java.

/M

632. Re: X3 serial communication issues: programmers' fault?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-06 07:32:45 UTC
From: moskitek
Topic: 614 Message: 632

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--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Helge <helgex3@...> wrote:
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> FTDI and Silabs. Mine is a Silabs one, while the most common chip in
> low-cost converters is the Prolific.
> If anyone gets a USB converter to work, I'd be interested in
> knowing what chip type and driver version you have.

Previous owner of my X3 told me that the dongle which he found to work is marked "HL-340".
It seems to be based on WinChipHead CH340 chipset.

/M
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633. (no subject)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-08 20:27:34 UTC
From: mobileman2k4
Topic: 633 Message: 633

What is the " sbar " function?

634. What's the sbar function please?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-08 21:11:59 UTC
From: mobileman2k4
Topic: 633 Message: 634

Sorry about my previous post, it didn't post correctly. I've worked out that the " abar " function toggles the internal bar antenna, but can't fathom the " sbar " function. Also, would it be worthwhile purchasing a telescopic antenna, or is the stock antenna as good? Cheers.

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "mobileman2k4" <disappointed@...> wrote:
>
> What is the " sbar " function?
>

635. Re: What's the sbar function please?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-08 21:26:02 UTC
From: moskitek
Topic: 633 Message: 635

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "mobileman2k4" <disappointed@...> wrote:
>
> I've worked out that the " abar " function toggles the internal bar
> antenna, but can't fathom the " sbar " function.

a-bar is AM bar antenna
s-bar is short-wave bar antenna

Quote from manual:

The DJ-X3 has four types of antennas:
AM bar antenna ·····The internal antenna which receives 100 kHz to 1620 kHz including the AM radio band.
Short-wave bar antenna·····The internal antenna which receives 1625 kHz to 12 MHz including the short-wave band.
Earphone antenna·····The earphone's cord performs the role of antenna. Receives over 12 MHz.
External antenna ·····The whip antenna attached to the DJ-X3. Available to receive entire frequency band.

/M

636. Re: What's the sbar function please?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-08 22:01:36 UTC
From: mobileman2k4
Topic: 633 Message: 636

Thankyou for the swift response. One more question, is it worth investing in a telescopic antenna for this scanner, or is it only going to work marginally better than the stock rubber duck do you think? Cheers again.

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "moskitek" <moskit@...> wrote:
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> --- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "mobileman2k4" <disappointed@> wrote:
> >
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>
> a-bar is AM bar antenna
> s-bar is short-wave bar antenna
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> /M
>

637. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] (unknown)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-09 06:16:24 UTC
From: Anthony Massey
Topic: 633 Message: 637

The sbar function allows you to select/deselect the internal shortwave antenna.

--- On Thu, 8/10/09, mobileman2k4 <disappointed@...> wrote:

From: mobileman2k4 <disappointed@...>
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] (unknown)
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Date: Thursday, 8 October, 2009, 8:27 PM

What is the " sbar " function?

638. Re: What's the sbar function please?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-09 16:45:38 UTC
From: moskitek
Topic: 633 Message: 638

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "mobileman2k4" <disappointed@...> wrote:
> Thankyou for the swift response. One more question, is it worth
> investing in a telescopic antenna for this scanner, or is it only
> going to work marginally better than the stock rubber duck do you
> think? Cheers again.

I don't know, I am new to all that radio business :-)

All I can say is that rubber antenna does not pick all ranges very well. I plan to do build an indoor antenna so I have better reception of popular frequencies at home.

Rubber duck picks easily picks up approaching airplanes and TV channels, it has some problems with FM radio (with squelch=1 it clips quite often), and less quality on CB band (car shields it too much), for airport tower (due to ground obstacles) or radio taxis. It should work much better in open space.

/M

639. Any suggestions for an antenna?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-11 04:06:05 UTC
From: mobileman2k4
Topic: 639 Message: 639

Hi guys. I bought my dj x3 brand new just over a week ago. I'm not at all impressed with the general reception using the stock antenna. Can anybody suggest a decent antenna that'll outperform the grey rubber duck please? I used to own a Yupiteru mvt7000 years ago, and if my memory serves me right, the hf/vhf and uhf recieve was considerably better. Hope i've not frittered 100gbp on a poor receiver, although it's pretty cheap. Cheers.

640. Re: DJ-X3 MMU - v1.4.01 uploaded

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-11 10:37:50 UTC
From: Anthony
Topic: 630 Message: 640

Hi Iain.

Thanks for trying to solve the problem. I know absolutely nothing about software writing however, I'm sorry to report your new version of the MMU didn't work either.

I think its a real shame that Alinco have not tackled the problem. I bet they could solve it in a couple of hours if they tried. Meanwhile, I'm stuck here with a scanner thats only operating at half it's potential.

I wold appreciate it if you (and the other computer savvie guys on here) could spend any time revisiting the problem. There would be a huge amount of grateful Alinco owners if you could come p with a fix.

Again, I appreciate any time and information you can give.

Kind regards, Anthony.

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "m0vpe" <iain@...> wrote:
>
>
> I've uploaded a new DJ-X3 MMU version to the files area - v1.4.01.
>
> It has an increased delay before the serial port is closed after reading data. I've effectively doubled the previous delay value.
>
> I can't actually test any of this as I don't own a DJ-X3 so let me know how you get on.
>
> Cheers,
> Iain - M0VPE
>

641. Re: DJ-X3 MMU - v1.4.01 uploaded

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-11 14:26:19 UTC
From: moskitek
Topic: 630 Message: 641

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Anthony" <a.massey91@...> wrote:
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> here) could spend any time revisiting the problem. There would be
> a huge amount of grateful Alinco owners if you could come p with a
> fix.

Hi Anthony,

The problem is with USB-serial converters, unfortunately.

Original Alinco software was written in Visual Basic, and it was not updated to support serial ports on USB dongle, which behave differently than real serial ports, unfortunately.

Iain's software is written in Java programming language, and it seems that Java itself has a problem supporting the dongle - his code looks correct, but application never receives notification from Java that anything was received on serial port. I am still not sure what exactly is the problem, but it seems to happen in other Java applications as well, not only MMU. I'm not sure if this can be resolved by programming, even if in my first post I wondered if this could be programming fault.

After talking with other people it seems that some USB-serial dongles work, most don't. When someone finds a working dongle, they just stick with it. It is still not clear how to recognize a good one. Names/manufacturers that people in other countries gave me are not available in my country. Also some of local dongles were of "I bought it 3 years ago in a supermarket" variety, without any marking to allow identification.

Lack of real serial ports is an issue for many serial applications interfacing with external hardware :-(

/M

642. DJ-X3 MMU

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-11 14:30:29 UTC
From: m0vpe
Topic: 642 Message: 642

I've removed the recent v1.4.01 DJ-X3 MMU software file as I don't think the problem is related to the closure of the comm port. When I checked the code closer I'd already accounted for a comm port closure delay.

To be honest, as I don't own a DJ-X3 anymore fixing the problem is nigh on impossible, however, if anyone's willing to lend me one I can take a closer look and maybe nail the problem once and for all.

Iain ☐ M0VPE
DJ-X3 MMU author

643. Re: DJ-X3 MMU

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-11 14:55:15 UTC
From: moskitek
Topic: 642 Message: 643

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "m0vpe" <iain@...> wrote:
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Iain,

I found a different Java driver for serial ports, which uses native Windows I/O instead of going through Java. While the original javax.comm package did not get anything back from USB-serial, this one at least correctly reads back X3 response when test is run from command line:
http://www.engidea.com/blog/informatica/winjcom/winjcom.html

"Bad" side is that this package uses DLL that has to be added in the system (c:\windows directory). I'm not sure yet how many changes need to be done to use this API, except for using a different class of course.

As you do not have X3 anymore, it would be tough to test any fixes :-/

/M

644. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Any suggestions for an antenna?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-11 16:33:43 UTC
From: Linton
Topic: 639 Message: 644

You need to use the internal ferrite antenna for MW and SW reception, turn on the abar and sbar.
I have tested the stock antenna on VHF / UHF with all my other radios both scanners and 2way.
VHF UHF with the stock antenna works as though it was cut for those frequency's.
The stock antenna works very well.
Also make sure your VHF/UHF antenna is not set on the Phone antenna option (when it uses the earphone wire as an antenna when you want to operate with the rubber duck off) and turns the rubber duck off.

Obviously below 100 mhz VHF and above 500 MHZ UHF specialized antennas are recommended.

Linton.

Linton

From: mobileman2k4
Sent: Saturday, October 10, 2009 9:06 PM
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Any suggestions for an antenna?

Hi guys. I bought my dj x3 brand new just over a week ago. I'm not at all impressed with the general reception using the stock antenna. Can anybody suggest a decent antenna that'll outperform the grey rubber duck please? I used to own a Yupiteru mvt7000 years ago, and if my memory serves me right, the hf/vhf and uhf recieve was considerably better. Hope i've not frittered 100gbp on a poor receiver, although it's pretty cheap. Cheers.

645. Re: DJ-X3 MMU - v1.4.01 uploaded

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-11 17:51:58 UTC
From: markus_baertschi
Topic: 630 Message: 645

Yes, these USB-Serial port converters can be a problem, not only for us Alinco prople, but plenty of other serial applications have the same problem.

Iain,

it might be useful, if you can be as verbose as possible with the messages your serial interface code prints if something fails. It might be possible to add some disgnostic code to detect what's actually working (or not working).

Markus

646. Re: DJ-X3 MMU

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-11 17:53:40 UTC
From: markus_baertschi
Topic: 642 Message: 646

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Iain,

would you be ready to make the source code available ?

Markus

647. Contacting Alinco

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-19 17:30:27 UTC
From: Anthony
Topic: 647 Message: 647

Does anyone have a valid e-mail address for Alinco. I wrote to Nevada regarding the software problem. They didn't want to know and suggested I contact Alinco. The only e-mail address I have been able to find for Alinco is at the end of one of their manuals. Its export@...
I have sent a pleading e-mail to this address asking for assistance with the current software problem but am not holding my breath.

I also purchased a new USB to phono lead from e-bay the other day. Needles to say, the bloody thing doesn't work, even though it does pass the cable test. Hey-ho.

Regards, Anthony

648. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Contacting Alinco

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-19 18:38:22 UTC
From: Mike
Topic: 647 Message: 648

Has anyone else here used the Alinco ERW-7 cable with the software? I have been using that cable without difficulties. It uses the FTDI chipset.

Note: Most DJ-X3 software issues submitted to Alinco end up coming to me. I have been watching this thread with interest and indeed have been working on finding out what the problem is as I would gladly update the software if I could recreate the problems talked about here.

My experience with USB converter cables has been that either a given cable model works or does not work. Usually FTDI chipset ones work out just fine. I have invested in a number of non-working cables only to find that they do not even talk to Windows HyperTerminal. If HyperTerminal does not work then nobody's software could work either for a given cable model. The trouble is usually USB/Serial cable driver related as others on this list have stated.

If somebody can provide a cable that is shown to work with HyperTerminal but not the software then I would be very interested to know about that cable. The Alinco supplied software is using standard Windows API's via Visual Basic which have remained unchanged from Windows 95 through Windows 7 and do work on all of those platforms. The supplied software does not use any artificial timing loops for communications and is strictly interrupt driven based on the data stream from the radio interface. I am not saying that there could not be a software fault but rather that as yet I have not been able to see what the potential fault is if it is there with the software. It is difficult to fix what you cannot see or experience.

Regards,
Mike

-----Original Message-----

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Regards, Anthony

649. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Contacting Alinco

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-19 23:44:20 UTC
From: Linton
Topic: 647 Message: 649

Alinco does not answer emails - seriously they don't ...

From: Anthony
Sent: Monday, October 19, 2009 10:30 AM
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Contacting Alinco

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Regards, Anthony

650. Re: Contacting Alinco

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-20 12:39:09 UTC
From: moskitek
Topic: 647 Message: 650

Hi Mike,

Thank you for your response and clarifications :-)

Unfortunately I do not have original Alinco cable (not available here).

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Mike" <mike@...> wrote:
> If somebody can provide a cable that is shown to work with
> HyperTerminal but not the software then I would be very interested
> to know about that cable.

USB serial/parallel port adapter for IBM Thinkpad series, such as one below. Unfortunately I cannot send it to you :-/
http://www5.pc.ibm.com/ph/products.nsf/$wwwpartnumlookup/_22P5298?OpenDocument&sourcesite=lenovo

It works with Hyperterminal, but does not work with Alinco application nor MMU application written in Java by Iain.

I have tried installing other drivers (for the same chipset), nothing changed.

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> Visual Basic which have remained unchanged from Windows 95 through
> Windows 7 and do work on all of those platforms. The supplied
> software does not use any artificial timing loops for
> communications and is strictly interrupt driven
> based on the data stream from the radio interface.

Based on what I see with MMU application (which does not see data received from device by computer) I think it might be similar problem for VB, as they probably use this very same API. That would point to either API problem or driver problem when dealing with USB adapters.

I have no idea what kind of access/API for serial port is used by HyperTerminal that makes it work correctly even with such adapters.

At the moment I cannot move forward with testing. I lack Java programming skills to write a test application that could provide some troubleshooting messages, but I am afraid it would not help much - Event handler simply does not get called, and I don't know how to check other type of serial communication in Java.
One possibility would be the other Java Package rewritten for native I/O that I have posted about a while ago. If it works (test works correctly), that would at least narrow down problem area.

If I get any progress (other USB adapters based on suggested chipset, testing methods etc), I will post updates here.

/M

651. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] (unknown)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-10-28 02:01:48 UTC
From: Oriol
Topic: 633 Message: 651

AM bar.....AbAr

--- On Thu, 10/8/09, mobileman2k4 <disappointed@myself.com> wrote:

From: mobileman2k4 <disappointed@...>
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] (unknown)
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Date: Thursday, October 8, 2009, 9:27 PM

What is the " sbar " function?

Yahoo! Groups Links

653. Looking for serial protocol

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-12-24 09:51:25 UTC
From: mike.krosna
Topic: 653 Message: 653

Hi,

i'm looking for serial protocol of dj-x3. Does smbd know, where can i get it. Alinco doesnt answer on my emails.

Best regards

654. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Looking for serial protocol

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-12-24 12:50:57 UTC
From: Iain Stirzaker
Topic: 653 Message: 654

Is this what your after?

```
public SerialParameters (String port) {

this(port,

9600,

SerialPort.FLOWCONTROL_NONE,

SerialPort.FLOWCONTROL_NONE,

SerialPort.DATABITS_8,

SerialPort.STOPBITS_1,

SerialPort.PARITY_NONE );

}
```

From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of mike.krosna
Sent: 24 December 2009 09:51
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Looking for serial protocol

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655. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Looking for serial protocol

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-12-24 15:39:34 UTC
From: Rudy Delgado
Topic: 653 Message: 655

RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Looking for serial protocol
Thu, December 24, 2009 7:50:57 AM
From: Iain Stirzaker <iain@...>Add to Contacts
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com

Is this what your after?

```
public SerialParameters (String port) {
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                 SerialPort.FLOWCONT ROL_NONE,
                 SerialPort.FLOWCONT ROL_NONE,
                 SerialPort.DATABITS _8,
                 SerialPort.STOPBITS _1,
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From:alinco-dj-x3@ yahoogroups. com [mailto:alinco- dj-x3@yahoogroup s.com] On Behalf Of mike.krosna
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656. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Looking for serial protocol

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2009-12-24 21:04:23 UTC
From: Mike Krosna
Topic: 653 Message: 656

i'm looking for any description of serial commands to get/set internal memory (banks).

From: Iain Stirzaker <iain@...>
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Thu, December 24, 2009 1:50:57 PM
Subject: RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Looking for serial protocol

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657. Any help

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-01-10 18:46:12 UTC
From: michael w
Topic: 657 Message: 657

Hi every one I have just joined the group and look forward to any help you can give me, I do not find this the easiest scanner to use not that I have had many! but if some one can in very simple terms tell me how do I set it to scan a set of number: 206.33 to 306.33 ? and I live in Nottingham so any frequencies to look out for.
thanking you regards Michael.

658. Re: Any help

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-01-17 11:09:43 UTC
From: wkel50
Topic: 657 Message: 658

from first screen.....145.000..

press Bank button to set to freq' you need..say 117.000

then press Func' 'A 00' or if a freq' already in 'A 00' then turn knob clockwise to an 'A' that flashes..say 'A 01'

or other 'A' number that flashes.....

then...press V/P/M..that is lower freq' entered...

now go back to scan screen and set upper freq'..say 136.000.....

press Func' and turn knob so that a 'b' is flashes that is the same number that you set 'A'

then pres V/P/M...this sets the upper freq'....

to set Alinco to scan this range....press V/P/M to get the scan screen up...

then....while hlding the Scan button in...turn the knob until your 'A' nuber in shown..say 'A 01'

relase the scan button and scaner should scan this range......

>

659. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Any help

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-01-17 12:48:14 UTC
From: carl wilkinson
Topic: 657 Message: 659

I must thank you all that have helped me they do say if you trow a load of mud at a wall some will stick and it as I am glad to say lol, now any good freq for Arnold Nottingham ? thanking you all once again.

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660. Programming cable

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-01-30 23:48:23 UTC
From: gonzinigonz
Topic: 660 Message: 660

Hi all
First post here.
Ive been playing about with the programming cable, the RS232 kind.
The 3 transistor one in the files section works just fine and all built in 30 mins or so.
Reading the other posts about the USB to RS232 adapters not working, i find the same here with a prolific chipset adapter.
Im sure an FTDI based one would work.
Also i can confirm that a PCMCIA RS232 adapter works fine here on the laptop. I paid £10 delivered off ebay for that, its nothing special.
Also you could could use a PCMCIA PCI adapter card if you found yourself without serial ports on your motherboard.
Not sure if you can get PCMCIA express converters, ive not looked.
Im thinking about getting one of those FTDI development boards, ive seen those for £6.
There ready to go, just need to connect up the data lines. Also l'll try to find a cheap FTDI usb to RS232 adapter and see what results that gives, im sure it will work :o)
Just a few ideas.

661. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Programming cable

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-01-31 13:27:31 UTC
From: Helge
Topic: 660 Message: 661

On Sat, 30 Jan 2010 23:48:23 -0000, "gonzinigonz"
<gonzini@...> wrote:

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You can, of course, also get PCI serial ports.

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You can't simply connect the Tx and Rx lines. If you do, the
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Helge

662. Re: Programming cable

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-02-01 00:54:36 UTC
From: gonzinigonz
Topic: 660 Message: 662

yes your right PCI RS232, that would be a much cheaper option. Not really looked for this sort of stuff lately.
I would of used the interface ive already made with the development board, and adjusted as necessary.
Ive just brought a FTDI usb RS232 adapter, paid £12 delivered.
Hopefully that will work out ok..
Cheers

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Helge <helgex3@...> wrote:
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663. Does anyone know any software for dj-x3 ?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-02-10 12:34:08 UTC
From: robert3krakow
Topic: 663 Message: 663

Hallo everybody. I have a question. I bought US version of DJ-X3. Does anyone know a software to reprogram or any method to unblock this scanner ? And one more thing is very important, this scanner has minimum step 5 kHz how to change for 1 kHz ?? Anybody ??

664. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Does anyone know any software for dj-x3 ?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-02-10 12:59:00 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 663 Message: 664

Did you have a look into the Files section of this list ?

One way to do what you want is to download the memory file
using the Alinco software and save it to disk. You can then
modify it with a hex editor to change region, unblock it, etc.
There are unblocked save files floating around the net, Google
is your friend.

Markus

On Wed, Feb 10, 2010 at 1:34 PM, robert3krakow <robert3krakow@...> wrote:
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Switzerland Homepage: www.markus.org

665. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Does anyone know any software for dj-x3 ?

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-02-10 13:04:22 UTC
From: Robert Roczmierowski
Topic: 663 Message: 665

I am new in this yahoo group, thank you so much for help, I will do it. I was thinking this is electronic modification but like you say only software, Thank you so much for your help.

From: Markus Baertschi <markus@...>
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Wed, February 10, 2010 6:59:00 AM
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666. Re: Programming cable All Seems Good!

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-02-11 18:07:52 UTC
From: gonzinigonz
Topic: 660 Message: 666

Hi all
Well the FTDI USB to RS232 adapter turned up from Hong Kong today.
Didn't work at first but after adjusting the delay settings to over 50mS in the setup tab under the hardware manager for the com port all was good.
Seems to work just fine. This is with the 3 transistor adapter circuit in the files section with no mods. I made it with through hole components not SMD. BC212 and BC182 transistors on a bit of vero board that all fits nicely inside a DB9 hood.
Also i downloaded the latest FTDI driver now at V2.06.
Product code is US111 and i brought it from a ebay seller called linoneon.
Search for Item: USB to Serial Adapter RS232 DB9 FTDI PALM GPS ie1
Good luck!

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667. Newbie with a few questions

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-02-23 15:39:43 UTC
From: cgold1
Topic: 667 Message: 667

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Suggestions????

Thank you

Jaime

668. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Newbie with a few questions

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-02-23 16:12:36 UTC
From: Mike Brogan
Topic: 667 Message: 668

I seem to recall the rechargeable pack was 4.8V - i.e. it had 4 cells, and as you rightly say the AA pack has only 3 (which gives approx 4.8V with fresh alkaline cells). Given the improved cell technology over the last few years it would probably be possible to make up a pack using "half AA" cells - which ARE available if you shop around and would now have as much capacity using NiMH technology as an AA when the radio was designed - in the AA pack - you could probably add a charging socket in the area formerly occupied by the third AA cell. Please note, I HAVE NOT TRIED THIS, it is just an idea that springs to mind so no responsibility can be accepted etc.......... :)

Personally I have never seen the rechargeable pack and have always used good quality Duracell or similar alkaline batteries when portable with no problems - and a 5V dc supply on the odd occasions when it is left on for long periods at home.

Hope that starts the ideas coming.................

Mike.............

----- Original Message -----
From: cgold1
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tuesday, February 23, 2010 3:39 PM
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Newbie with a few questions

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Jaime

Yahoo! Groups Links

669. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Newbie with a few questions

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-02-23 17:06:49 UTC
From: Linton
Topic: 667 Message: 669

Hi Jaime

You mentioned that you used alkaline batteries, so assume you also have the 'dry' battery case.
My Djx3 works just fine using 3 xNiMh 1800 to 2400 mah batteries.

I think the reason most manufactures tell one not to use rechargeable's in the dry case is because they are generally larger than the standard AA these days.
And push the contacts flat, however this has not been a problem for my Djx3.

About your Djx3 saying that you don't have enough power with fresh NiMh batteries, try another brand.
If you still experience the same problem, then it is possible the previous owner fiddled with the service menu and messed with the alignment of the radio (the battery depletion settings)
And perhaps the reason for putting it up on ebay?
I get about 10 hours when using NiMh batteries in the alkaline case before the low indicator comes up.

Linton

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670. Re: Newbie with a few questions

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-02-23 17:10:42 UTC
From: lintongormley
Topic: 667 Message: 670

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671. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Newbie with a few questions

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-02-23 17:39:17 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 667 Message: 671

The effect varies depending on the brand/type of NiMh/NiCd's you are using.
Some work better than others, but I have found none satisfactory.

I've just measured mine. It shuts off at 3.1V and powers on with at least
3.2V.
That is low enough to work with the 3.6V fully charged NiMh's provide, but
as soon as they weaken a bit it will shut off.

There is enough space in the 3xAA battery holder to add either a 4xAAA
pack or even a LiIon pack from a camera or cellphone. Depending on the
chemistry LiIon has a Voltage of 3.2 to 4.2 Volts (many are 3.6V) so this
can be a good option.

This is an weak point of our DJ, for sure.

Markus

On Tue, Feb 23, 2010 at 6:06 PM, Linton <lintongormley@...> wrote:

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672. Re: Newbie with a few questions

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-02-24 21:39:26 UTC
From: moskitek
Topic: 667 Message: 672

Hello Jaime,

There are two main differences between these types of batteries:

1) voltage: Alkalines are 1.5V, while NiMH are 1.2V (about 1.4V when fresh out of charger). For three batteries this makes a difference: 4.5V vs 3.6V. Depending on device design some just refuse to work on rechargeables. Some cameras have a menu setting where you tell device what type of battery is in there, so it does not confuse 1.2V with low battery, but adjusts "low" level accordingly.

2) ability to supply enough current: when some devices try to extract more Ampers from the batteries, they may not be up to task and their voltage "sags" prompting low battery warning or even shutdown. In this regard NiCd are better (provide more current) than NiMH, they are widely used in RC planes for example. This is also why some manufacturers recommend NiCd but not NiMH.

I do not think that X3 is so power-hungry that it would make batteries "sag", but if rechargeables are fairly old and not in good shape, it might be a reason.

I use Sanyo Eneloop NiMH rechargeables in my X3. They work pretty good, without any adverse effects so far. Max capacity is "only" 2000mAh, but this is a true capacity that battery will hold - many "tricked-out" batteries with 2500mAh and higher capacitites seem to degrade their max capacity suprisingly quickly over time and settle around 2000 mAh anyway. Another advantage of Eneloops is that self-discharge is very very low. Regular NiMH still lose charge while in storage and you might find device not working after a few weeks. Eneloops keep their charge much, much longer.

My suggestions:
- try other rechargeables if you have any. Try another set of 3 from the same batch, as even one damaged (=supplying less voltage under load) battery makes the whole set perform bad.
- if other members confirm that they are happy with Eneloops in their X3, maybe try that brand.

Cheers,
M

673. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Newbie with a few questions

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-02-24 22:12:37 UTC
From: Markus Baertschi
Topic: 667 Message: 673

On Wed, Feb 24, 2010 at 10:39 PM, moskitek <moskit@...> wrote:
> I use Sanyo Eneloop NiMH rechargeables in my X3.
> Another advantage of Eneloops is that self-discharge is very very low.

I second the recommendation of Sanyo Eneloops. With most other
rechargeables I found that they are already half empty when you need
them unless you leave them always in the charger. With Eneloops I
charge them when they come out of a device and can keep them
fully charged in stock.

Markus
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674. Re: Newbie with a few questions

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-02-26 07:32:53 UTC
From: carcus2200
Topic: 667 Message: 674

If it's any help i have measured 5 different brands of Ni-MH AA cells and fresh out of the charger every one reads between 1.42 and 1.48 volts. (different capacities ranging from 1800ma/h to 2700ma/h)
Also as a test, i discharged them all to approx 50% of there capacity and then took readings again. They all measured between 1.23 & 1.29 volts.
I personly would suggest any Ni-MH AA cell only measuring only 1.2x volts fresh out the charger is either defective or there is an issue with the charger.

Markus Carcus

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> Jaime
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675. Re: Newbie with a few questions

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-03-10 19:33:32 UTC
From: zx1100f1
Topic: 667 Message: 675

Hi Jamie,
The low battery meter in the DJ-X3 is factory set to turn ON at 4.5V which is good if you're running Alkaline cells.

You can either ignore this and replace the batteries when the audio starts to clip out, or the meter can be adjusted by entering the service menu (at your own risk), if you are careful it is easy.

First, have a known good set of 3 AA NiMh cells that you have drained down to exactly 1.1V (3.3V total) installed in your radio.

How to enter the adjustment mode:
With radio ON.
Turn ON the Key Lock feature.
Press the buttons in this order: BANK > SCAN > V/P/M > BANK > V/P/M > SCAN.
Now you are in the adjustment mode (be careful).

Press the V/P/M key or BANK key to scroll thru the menu in either direction.
Scroll until you see the display "dSpv" and STOP, Now write down and record the character (normally around 45) and keep so you can go back to factory setting later if you would like.

Use the Volume knob to adjust the setting down, go 1 more click down after you see the "low batt indicator" go out.

Press the power button and re-adjust your volume and squelch as they will be reset.

Now your low battery indicator is calibrated for NiMh cells.

Dave

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676. Mbus cable, no USB converter, hyperterminal works, Clone Util and MMU doesn't

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-05-16 20:17:01 UTC
From: mateusz_szczurek
Topic: 676 Message: 676

Hello, I have an old MBUS cable based on Max chip I used for playing with Nokia phones in the old days. I soldered a jack adapter to it. It has no external power source (it always worked without it). It appears the cable passes all the tests suggested in this group, but it does not work with either MMU or Clone Utility.
1. Hyperterminal, AL command puts DJ-X3 into Ok state, as expected.
2. Hyperterminal, pressing dial button on DJ produces the garble and comm error quoted here as a sign of data flowing FROM the radio into computer.
2.5. MMU Cable test returns the expected error message
3. Reading the radio in clone utility returns various errors (error 1, no DJ-X3 detected then error 8 then 9). It does put the radio in "Ok" mode - usually.
4. I do not know how to make MMU read anything. the only command to communicate something with the X3 was "reset", but it failed quoting wrong response from the X3.

The system is windows XP, tried to run Clone Utility in Win98 compatibility mode, same result. Is it a problem with the cable, COM port, or the radio?
Cheers, Mateusz

677. Re: Mbus cable, no USB converter, hyperterminal works, Clone Util and MMU doesn't

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-05-23 17:39:01 UTC
From: mateusz_szczurek
Topic: 676 Message: 677

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Does anyone know how to program a channel manually via hyperterminal. All I want the computer interface for is to program slot 2-10 for 163.5375Mhz, which is not possible using the radio set alone..

678. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Mbus cable, no USB converter, hyperterminal works, Clone Util and MMU doesn't

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-05-24 10:42:28 UTC
From: Helge
Topic: 676 Message: 678

On Sun, 23 May 2010 17:39:01 +0000, mateusz_szczurek
<mateusz_szczurek@...> wrote:

>Does anyone know how to program a channel manually via hyperterminal.

It is not trivial. You will have to manipulate the radio's data memory directly, and there is no room for mistakes. You can't even backspace if you press the wrong key. I strongly advice against it, but if you want to try (at your own risk), download "x3snoop.zip" from the files section in this mailing list (http://groups.yahoo.com/group/alinco-dj-x3/files/Software/). Some people have reported problems installing the application, but you can still manually unpack it and read the information in the CHM file inside the archive.

>All I want the computer interface for is to program slot 2-10 for 163.5375Mhz, which is not possible using the radio set alone..

What exactly do you mean by "slot"? The manual does not mention that term, and the memory channels are organized in banks, so cannot be referenced unambiguously like this.
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Helge

679. Re: Mbus cable, no USB converter, hyperterminal works, Clone Util and MMU doesn't

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-05-25 20:44:51 UTC
From: mateusz_szczurek
Topic: 676 Message: 679

> if you press the wrong key. I strongly advice against it, but if you
> want to try (at your own risk), download "x3snoop.zip"

It worked, thank you so much! Funnily enough the x3snoop did manage to read my x3s memory, the official clone utility was returning error 8 or error 9.
Hyperterminal is not the easiest way to set up channels but it worked. I can now listen to municipal police warning about flood banks being breached by the floods near Warsaw. Thank you.
Mateusz

680. Re: Mbus cable, no USB converter, hyperterminal works, Clone Util and MMU doesn't

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-05-25 08:09:47 UTC
From: mateusz_szczurek
Topic: 676 Message: 680

Thank you so much for the timely answer

> >All I want the computer interface for is to program
> >slot 2-10 for 163.5375Mhz,

> What exactly do you mean by "slot"? The manual does not mention that
> term, and the memory channels are organized in banks, so cannot be
> referenced unambiguously like this.

Sorry, I did mean channel 10, bank 2. It can be any other, of course.

> but if you want to try (at your own risk)...
The file you pointed me to contains exactly what I need, shame on me I missed it in the first place.
I will venture to do this - we are battling the flood in Poland at the moment and access to the municipal police and fire brigade frequencies suddenly became much more than a useless whim.

Would programming a channel 9-0 to 163.53750 step 5khz, FM look like this then?
AL~F15B0W0163537500000100<CR>

681. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Mbus cable, no USB converter, hyperterminal works, Clone Util and MMU doesn't

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-05-26 17:20:18 UTC
From: Helge
Topic: 676 Message: 681

On Tue, 25 May 2010 20:44:51 +0000, mateusz_szczurek
<mateusz_szczurek@...> wrote:

>It worked, thank you so much!

That's good.

>Funnily enough the x3snoop did manage to read my x3s memory, the official clone utility was returning error 8 or error 9.

That is indeed funny. X3snoop is written in Visual Basic 6, and, as far as I know, the official utility is VB6 as well. Did you try the official utility now that x3snoop is installed? Maybe an important DLL has been updated.

>Hyperterminal is not the easiest way to set up channels but it worked. I can now listen to municipal police warning about flood banks being breached by the floods near Warsaw. Thank you.

You're welcome.

I thought a little about your original problem, though. I have no problem tuning to 163.5375Mhz. Here's an example: First, set to 163.5500. Then, set step to 12.5kHz, and tune one step down.
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Helge

682. USB connection for programming

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-05-29 01:22:47 UTC
From: Jacob Tennant
Topic: 682 Message: 682

Is there a working USB cable available for the DJ-X3 that works with some of the available software.

I just got one from eBay (DJ-X3 that is) and would like to be able to program it from my computer but none of the computers I have came with serial ports.

Jacob Tennant - K8JWT

683. Re: USB connection for programming

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-05-30 23:26:19 UTC
From: gonzinigonz
Topic: 682 Message: 683

Look at post 666. You need a FTDI chipset and all should work after tweeking with the driver settings..
You will still have to make a 9pin female D type to mini jack adapter up but that's not hard. If you brought one of the FTDI development modules on ebay you could build it all into one box.
I asked a few of the people selling the USB to mini jack cables what chipsets they used but know one knew so i didn't risk it.

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Jacob Tennant" <k8jwt@...> wrote:
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684. how do i change AM mode to FM (NFM)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-06-29 11:37:42 UTC
From: a.francis2009
Topic: 684 Message: 684

hi all,
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any help will be good thank you
andy

685. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] how do i change AM mode to FM (NFM)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-06-29 12:43:11 UTC
From: HANNANT THOMAS
Topic: 684 Message: 685

hi here is the manual for it this should help
http://www.radioamateur.eu/schemi/RX/ALINCO_DJ-X3_user.pdf

Hope this help

On 29 June 2010 12:37, a.francis2009 <a.francis50@...> wrote:

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> hi all,
> can some one help me plzz
> how do i change AM mode to FM (NFM)
> as i don't have my manual book here with me,
> any help will be good thank you
> andy
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686. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] how do i change AM mode to FM (NFM)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-06-29 13:32:33 UTC
From: andy
Topic: 684 Message: 686

hi nannant
thank you for the link i have downloaded it ;)
what i was trying to do was receive CB and know i need to change it to FM (NFM)
now i have done what it says on page 21 of the manual and can't get rid of the A or W it says when nothing shows that is FM

----- Original Message -----
From: HANNANT THOMAS
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tuesday, June 29, 2010 1:43 PM
Subject: Re: [alinco-dj-x3] how do i change AM mode to FM (NFM)

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687. Re: how do i change AM mode to FM (NFM)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-07-01 14:58:13 UTC
From: moskitek
Topic: 684 Message: 687

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "andy" <a.francis50@...> wrote:
> what i was trying to do was receive CB and know i need to change
> it to FM (NFM)
> now i have done what it says on page 21 of the manual and can't get
> rid of the A or W it says when nothing shows that is FM

Unless you have a different version of manual, instructions for changing modulation are on page 38, not 21:
- press "FUNC"
- press dial until you see "wAvE"
- turn dial to switch between AM (A), WFM (W) and FM ( )
- press "FUNC" again to exit settings

For CB you might want to get an external antenna for CB frequencies, built-in one has very small range, especially inside a car.

Good luck!
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688. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: how do i change AM mode to FM (NFM)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-07-01 16:37:23 UTC
From: andy
Topic: 684 Message: 688

cool thank you that did help alot and now have it working ;)
thank's again
----- Original Message -----
From: moskitek
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Thursday, July 01, 2010 3:58 PM
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: how do i change AM mode to FM (NFM)

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Good luck!
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689. DJ-X3 for sale

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-08-07 17:48:40 UTC
From: DenisJ
Topic: 689 Message: 689

I have placed my DJ-X3 on e-Bay. Here is the link if you are interested.
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=250677577648&ssPageName=STRK:MESELX:IT
If link does not work just search e-bay. My user name is denis55
Thanks

690. DJx3_1.3.2

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-08-19 17:43:50 UTC
From: adrian.boyd92
Topic: 690 Message: 690

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Many thanks in Advance

Adrian

691. Re: DJx3_1.3.2

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-08-22 11:41:21 UTC
From: gonzinigonz
Topic: 690 Message: 691

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692. Re: DJx3_1.3.2

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-08-22 13:03:24 UTC
From: adrian.boyd92
Topic: 690 Message: 692

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regards Adrian

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693. Re: DJx3_1.3.2

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-08-22 18:36:45 UTC
From: gonzinigonz
Topic: 690 Message: 693

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694. (no subject)

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-08-23 13:42:04 UTC
From: rdbrudy
Topic: 694 Message: 694

im glad your happy

695. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJx3_1.3.2

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-08-23 13:55:05 UTC
From: Rudy Delgado
Topic: 690 Message: 695

maybe he can help
From: gonzinigonz <gonzini@...>Add to Contacts
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com

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Sent: Sun, August 22, 2010 7:41:21 AM

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696. DJ-X3 on e-bay

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-10-10 20:50:16 UTC
From: DenisJ
Topic: 696 Message: 696

I have my DJ-X3 on e-bay. Take a look if you are interested.
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=250709018507&ssPageName=STRK:MESELX:IT
Thanks,
Denis Jackson

697. My power supply options

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-10-10 22:40:22 UTC
From: emperor_ming@rocketmail.com
Topic: 697 Message: 697

Hi all

First post here

Purchased a second-hand DJX3 about 6 months ago and it's the best thing I have done for years.

It depends on what your main area of usage but for me after reading the power spec in the service manual the DJX3 will take from 4.5v to 16v regulated external power.

I have a Nokia charger that is rated at 5v (Nokia 6100) and is fully regulated, this I use as home based PSU for my DJ X3.

For mobile I use USB 12v cigar plug with a USB phone charger lead 5v 6100 again).

Nothing gets hot or even remotely warm after 12-14hrs of use.

For portable use, coppertop batteries give me well over 9hrs ++ of heavy use.

Not sure if I am lazy but most of my usage is whilst in the truck or at home, for the odd occasions I am away from my truck I find the cost of replacement alkaline batteries minimal compared to messing around with rechargeable batteries, I buy 6 and have 3 as backup.

I have never managed to attain the manufactures cycle figures for any type of rechargeable batteries which in the long run makes rechargeable option prohibitive.

Hope this is of some use

Happy DXing

Paul

698. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] DJ-X3 on e-bay

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-10-10 23:23:39 UTC
From: Stack Smasher
Topic: 696 Message: 698

I used to have one of these and I do not understand why they are so
expensive? They really do not pick up much because most of the good stuff is
digital now and when I did get something worth listening to the antenna was
so inadequate I lost it soon after I found it.

Stack

On Sun, Oct 10, 2010 at 2:50 PM, DenisJ <denisjackson@...> wrote:

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> Thanks,
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"If you see me laughing, you better have backups"

699. Re: DJ-X3 on e-bay

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-10-11 10:44:44 UTC
From: DenisJ
Topic: 696 Message: 699

Stack,
It all depends what you want to listen to. There are plenty of analog signals out there. CB, Hams, Marine, Railroads, FRS, MURS, GMRS, Shortwave, FM Broadcast, AM broadcast. This radio picks them all up.
Denis

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700. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3 on e-bay

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2010-10-11 13:02:59 UTC
From: Raymond McKeever
Topic: 696 Message: 700

Nice mil-com receiver as well 225- 400 mhz , am for air, FM for sat-com in this range.

--- On Mon, 10/11/10, DenisJ <denisjackson@...> wrote:

From: DenisJ <denisjackson@...>
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: DJ-X3 on e-bay
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Date: Monday, October 11, 2010, 6:44 AM

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701. Vista compatibility

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2011-01-26 16:50:32 UTC
From: briang8kfs
Topic: 701 Message: 701

I have an Acer lapto running Vista Home Premium and cannot get the software to run, it gives xxx.OCX errors. Can anyone help please?

702. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Vista compatibility

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2011-01-26 17:10:58 UTC
From: mike@cbtinc.net
Topic: 701 Message: 702

Could you be more specific about the error message content?

Mike

Original Message:

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mail2web.com ☐ What can On Demand Business Solutions do for you?
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703. Re: Vista compatibility

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2011-01-29 14:58:00 UTC
From: briang8kfs
Topic: 701 Message: 703

Thank you for reply.
The errors I am getting so far are.
COMCT332.OCX Not Registered Correctly. I renamed the file in the System32 folder and copied in a new version. Now the error I get is TABCTL32.OCX not registered, does this help?
Regards
Brian

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "mike@..." <mike@...> wrote:
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> Mike
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> Original Message:
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704. Software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2011-01-30 17:07:42 UTC
From: Eric Hanson
Topic: 704 Message: 704

I do not have the DJ-X3 software or cables, and would like to purchase or otherwise download it and buy a cable.

I have an unblocked DJ-X3, and I am on Windows XP and am converting to Windows 7 soon.

Where can I obtain DJ-X3 software and cable?

Thanks,

Eric Hanson
ehanson@...

705. Re: Vista compatibility

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2011-01-31 18:10:51 UTC
From: briang8kfs
Topic: 701 Message: 705

Hi Mike
Thank you very much for Patch, everything is working fine now.
Regards
Brian

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "briang8kfs" <briang8kfs@...> wrote:
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706. USB/Serial Adaptors

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2011-01-31 18:14:11 UTC
From: briang8kfs
Topic: 706 Message: 706

I have been using the Keyspan USA-19HS with great success on all my radio equipment.

707. Cloning software DJ-X3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2011-02-03 16:28:07 UTC
From: hellofromfrance2010
Topic: 707 Message: 707

Hello
I'm Neewbie.
I have a Dj_x3 , and I bougth a cable for cloning (ebay..). I use the 1.3.2 + patch 1.3.5 software of the cloning Software.
I tried to use this on Xp and 2000 and it is not working. (always the same error : communication error 5)
The cable is ok because if I use the software x2snoop, the reading is working
(changing display of the memory adresses on the alinco).
What is the problem? Has anyone the clone software working ?
Thanks for replying.

708. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Cloning software DJ-X3

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2011-02-03 16:40:43 UTC
From: Mike
Topic: 707 Message: 708

Communication error 5 is caused by either a defective or improper cable. The proper cable echoes commands sent from the software back to the software. The implication here is that while data flows from computer to radio the path from radio to computer is not working as expected. Therefore, the cable is either defective or of the wrong design. Cable type should match the specifications of an ICOM OPC-478.

Regards,
Mike

-----Original Message-----

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714. MAC

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2011-05-04 21:30:01 UTC
From: zhex00
Topic: 714 Message: 714

Is there some Mac Os software for the DJ-X3?

715. Software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2011-07-31 15:55:38 UTC
From: r555rtp
Topic: 704 Message: 715

I recently acquired a used DJ X3E and also a USB programming cable with a Prolific chip. I have installed the drivers that came with the cable and have run cable tests successfully. Whenever I try and use the cloning utility, either version 1.3.2 or 1.3.5 it will not read or write to the radio. It gives a Runtime error 5 and exits the software even though the radio shows ok on the display. Any help appreciated.

716. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2011-08-01 08:13:42 UTC
From: Helge
Topic: 704 Message: 716

On Sun, 31 Jul 2011 15:55:38 +0000, r555rtp
<penning.richard@...> wrote:

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I am not sure, but I think error 5 might be an access denied. Are you
running it under Windows 7? If so, it might be worth trying to run the
application with administrative rights.

I have never tried the application under Windows 7, so I do not know
if it will work at all.

The OK message on the display confirms that data transmission from PC
to radio works.
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Helge

717. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2011-08-01 14:24:47 UTC
From: Richard Penning
Topic: 704 Message: 717

Thanks for the reply. I am running under Windows XP. Runtime error 5 is illegal procedure call

718. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2011-08-01 15:37:26 UTC
From: First Last
Topic: 704 Message: 718

Hi,

The problem with runtime error 5 seems to be an XP problem.
I have the DJX3-E using ERW4C cable.
On my PC with XP SP3 the software shows runtime error 5 when tryin to write.
On an old laptop with an older XP SP2 everything works fine.

719. Re: Software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2011-08-04 17:16:37 UTC
From: r555rtp
Topic: 704 Message: 719

Has anyone successfully run the softwarw with XP SP3?

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, First Last <nosuggestions10@...> wrote:
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720. RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2011-08-09 10:28:36 UTC
From: Tony Fendall
Topic: 704 Message: 720
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

Just for our collective interest, my experiences are as follows:

On XP all SP's, I have never got Alinco software to run.

On XP all SP's, I have got Iain Stirzaks MMU to run, but using his own make of cable and with a USB/Serial converter.

Yesterday I decided to get out the DJ-X3E after a long lay off, connected using above cable to the serial port on my latest Windows 7 pro PC and MMU worked first time like a dream, Alinco software failed as usual.

Regards

Tony

From: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of r555rtp
Sent: 04 August 2011 6:17 PM
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Software

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721. Re: Software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2011-08-11 14:16:57 UTC
From: nosuggestions10
Topic: 704 Message: 721

Hi there,

If someone has any problems with the alinco programming
software please write to Mike at CBTINC (<mike@...>)
He is one of the programmers who told me that he needs
poeple to help him to find out where the different problems are.

Greetings

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Tony Fendall" <tony@...> wrote:
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722. Whats the best aerial to get to improve reception

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2011-10-01 19:56:56 UTC
From: si_voodoo
Topic: 722 Message: 722

I would have it installed in the loft space.

Ive heard a discone may be good?

I like to listen to the full spectrum, could anyone suggest a good one.

Also, how much better would an external aerial be compared to the one supplied with the djx3?

thank you.

Simon

725. Re: Whats the best aerial to get to improve reception

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2012-04-23 09:07:18 UTC
From: seabra@ptolom.eu
Topic: 722 Message: 725

Hello Voodoo Man,

djx3 is a good radio when used with an external antenna.I doubt you have space in the loft to install a real discone so i suggest you get something like this: http://www.ebay.co.uk/itm/HIGH-GAIN-DICONE-DESK-TOP-ANTENNA-MAGNETIC-BASE-/261007599236?pt=UK_ConsumerElectronics_SpecialistRadioEquipment_SM&hash=item3cc543e684.

Doesnt seem to ocupy much space and it seems to be quite ok.I ordered mine without radials and with magnetic base so i can use it in my car.

Regards,
João

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> Simon
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726. re:

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2012-04-28 23:42:40 UTC
From: dunn terry
Topic: 726 Message: 726

wow this is crazy check it out http://t.co/SV3CXMEj

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727. Hello Alinco dj-x3 group!

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2012-07-10 17:28:27 UTC
From: Jacek Bartoszek
Topic: 727 Message: 727

Regards,

Jacek

728. Re: Software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2012-07-11 19:23:36 UTC
From: jacekbk77
Topic: 704 Message: 728

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "r555rtp" <penning.richard@...> wrote:
>
> Has anyone successfully run the softwarw with XP SP3?
>
yes. It runs fine on my Dell 201x laptop with Windows XP Pro SP3, on docking station's com port.
No luck on desktop with xp and sp3 or win 7 though.

732. Adjustment mode

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2012-08-02 16:37:59 UTC
From: Andrea Pignataro
Topic: 732 Message: 732

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733. Re: Adjustment mode

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2013-01-15 15:24:14 UTC
From: Derek
Topic: 732 Message: 733

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--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Andrea Pignataro wrote:
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734. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2013-01-15 23:56:27 UTC
From: Rudy
Topic: 704 Message: 734
Attachments: 2 described; binary payloads are missing from this source WARC

From: Tony Fendall <tony@...mon.co.uk>
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Sent: Tuesday, August 9, 2011 6:28 AM
Subject: RE: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Software

Just for our collective interest, my experiences are as follows:
On XP all SP's, I have never got Alinco software to run.
On XP all SP's, I have got Iain Stirzaks MMU to run, but using his own make of cable and with a USB/Serial converter.
Yesterday I decided to get out the DJ-X3E after a long lay off, connected using above cable to the serial port on my latest Windows 7 pro PC and MMU worked first time like a dream, Alinco software failed as usual.
Regards
Tony

From:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com [mailto:alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com] On Behalf Of r555rtp
Sent: 04 August 2011 6:17 PM
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Re: Software

Has anyone successfully run the softwarw with XP SP3?

--- In mailto:alinco-dj-x3%40yahoogroups.com, First Last <nosuggestions10@...> wrote:
>
> Hi,
>
> The problem with runtime error 5 seems to be an XP problem.
> I have the DJX3-E using ERW4C cable.
> On my PC with XP SP3 the software shows runtime error 5 when tryin to write.
> On an old laptop with an older XP SP2 everything works fine.
>

735. Re: Adjustment mode

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2013-01-16 08:59:40 UTC
From: evonture
Topic: 732 Message: 735

done but it doesn't resolve the problem since factory reset is only for user-reachable settings... the values are still the same.
I simply need the values of an untouched dj-x3e

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "Derek" wrote:
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>

737. Adjustment mode DJ-X3K

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2013-01-18 06:44:02 UTC
From: ve7ees
Topic: 737 Message: 737

```
FrEQ
> PLT-F W
> 1n1 89
> 1nf 4b
> 2n1 9c
> 2nf 48
> 3n1 b1
> 3nf 62
> 4n1 b2
> 4nf 5F
> 5n1 AA
> 5nf SE
> 6n1 cd
> 6nf 85
> 3S1 56
> 3SF 97
> Wn1 37W
> WnF 28W
> ws1 8EW
> wsf A3W
> dSPv 35W
> bUGvol bcW
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739. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Adjustment mode

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2013-02-10 16:49:40 UTC
From: AV
Topic: 732 Message: 739

Here are mine:

I guess most of these values are set during factory adjustment and are
different for each radio.
If you haven't touched these, then everything should be OK.

PLT-F W 1n1 A6 1nf 5c 2n1 A6 2nf 5d 3n1 c4 3nf 73 4n1 c2 4nf 72 5n1
bd 5nF 67 6n1 d4 6nf 80 3S1 67 3SF af Wn1 35W WnF 1EW ws1 75W wsf
bcW dSPv 35W bUGvol 30W

Best regards,
AV

On 2 August 2012 17:37, Andrea Pignataro <evonture@...> wrote:

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740. Runtime error 5 in Vista

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2013-05-09 14:42:54 UTC
From: briang8kfs
Topic: 740 Message: 740

I am using Vista, and I'm getting a runtime error 5. It used to work on this PC, and the only change is Windows updates and Norton Antivirus updates, any ideas?

741. Re: Runtime error 5 in Vista

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2013-05-10 08:38:21 UTC
From: Ian M
Topic: 740 Message: 741

Hi

The software doesn't work reliably on Vista or Windows 7/8

The only modern operating system the X3 software works on is Windows XP with Service Pack 2 only.

From what I remember it also worked fine on Windows 98/ME

Alinco have for a number of years never updated the X3 memory manager.

Time to dig out an old PC/Laptop (which I what I used to do) or setup a parition with 98 or XP SP2 installed

Hope this helps

Ian G8ZHC

742. Re: Runtime error 5 in Vista

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2013-05-13 15:06:21 UTC
From: briang8kfs
Topic: 740 Message: 742

Thank you Ian
Are you aware of any other software available for the X3?
Regards
Brian G8KFS

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, Ian M <nightflyian@...> wrote:
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>
> Ian G8ZHC
>

743. Re: Runtime error 5 in Vista

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2013-05-13 22:31:04 UTC
From: tony191246
Topic: 740 Message: 743

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "briang8kfs" <briang8kfs@...> wrote:
>
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Tony

744. Re: Runtime error 5 in Vista

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2013-05-18 14:51:06 UTC
From: tony9987603
Topic: 740 Message: 744

Hi Tony,
Where can I download the Stirzaks MMU software please.

--- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "tony191246" <tony@...> wrote:
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>
>
> --- In alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com, "briang8kfs" <briang8kfs@> wrote:
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745. DJ-X3 Driver

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2013-06-22 16:54:05 UTC
From: tony9987603
Topic: 745 Message: 745

Do I need a driver to get the software to connect to the radio?

746. Software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2013-06-23 15:59:03 UTC
From: Dave
Topic: 704 Message: 746

Hi,

Just bought 1 of these scanners and USB lead. Is there any software that will work reliably on XP or vista?

Thanks

Dave
G7MCE

747. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2013-06-23 16:44:11 UTC
From: leicester1@...
Topic: 704 Message: 747

Hi Dave,

Try here for your software http://www.alinco.com/usa.html Look down the left side for scanners and DJ-X3.
It is free. Whether it works or not I can't say. I still can't get my scanner recognised by the computer.

Regards,

Tony
----- Original Message -----
From: Dave
Sent: 06/23/13 04:59 PM
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: [alinco-dj-x3] Software

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748. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2013-06-23 18:18:54 UTC
From: Dave Wilkinson
Topic: 704 Message: 748

Hi,

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From: leicester1@...
Sent: Sunday, June 23, 2013 5:44 PM
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749. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2013-06-23 18:25:22 UTC
From: John
Topic: 704 Message: 749

I think you will find it will only work with windows 98 or xp without the service packs installed and you also will need the original cable I have a clone cable and that does not work with any windows edition.

750. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2013-06-23 23:35:21 UTC
From: leicester1@...
Topic: 704 Message: 750

Hi Dave,

Is there a driver for the serial connector cable? My anytone AT-5555 uses a prolific driver for the cable. (It took 6 months to get that one to work)

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751. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2013-06-24 17:47:32 UTC
From: Dave Wilkinson
Topic: 704 Message: 751

I just pluged in the USB and the prolific drivers i have installed for other devices picked it up. The Scanner says OK sometimes, but nothing has been programmed. The software just quits of comes up with a runtime error.

Dave

From: leicester1@...
Sent: Monday, June 24, 2013 12:35 AM
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Software

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752. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2013-06-24 17:54:31 UTC
From: Ángel Albarrán
Topic: 704 Message: 752

I used this programmer:
FTDI *US232B *
http://www.ftdichip.com/Products/Cables/USBRS232.htm*
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in a PC with windows 7 and works very good.

have a driver very customizable

753. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2013-06-24 19:39:52 UTC
From: Cave
Topic: 704 Message: 753

Hi

There was a copy in the files section that works fine with XP

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Sent from my iPad

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754. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Software

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2013-06-25 20:18:36 UTC
From: leicester1@...
Topic: 704 Message: 754

Hi Angel

Is US232B for USB? I have a serial only cable. I trying to find a driver for it.

Tony
----- Original Message -----
From: Ángel Albarrán
Sent: 06/24/13 06:54 PM
To: alinco-dj-x3@yahoogroups.com
Subject: Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Software

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755. Re: [alinco-dj-x3] Software

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Date: 2013-06-27 20:14:16 UTC
From: Dave Wilkinson
Topic: 704 Message: 755

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Didnt work for me im afraid.

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756. Help needed with use of modulation mode and other settings

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2013-12-29 12:22:19 UTC
From: <yahoo@...>
Topic: 756 Message: 756

I am using my Alinco DJ-X3 to listen to the referee to touch judge communications at Premiership rugby matches. It helps me to understand some of the decisions made! I have found the signal at around 836mHz but it is very distorted. I have tried turning attenuation on and off and using the earphone as the aerial instead of the whip aerial but with no change. I wondered if changing the tuning step might help - it's currently on Auto - if so, what should I change it to? Also, would turning modulation mode to WFM help make it clearer? Any advice gratefully received.

757. RE: Help needed with use of modulation mode and other settings

Yahoo group: alinco-dj-x3
Date: 2014-02-14 15:42:52 UTC
From: <poglad@...>
Topic: 756 Message: 757

Hi there, what you've tuned into sounds like it's a radio mic system. You get those up in the 800MHz area, along with other things like analogue wireless headphones. You'll definitely want to use WFM for any of these. Hope that helps.